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CALENDAR FOR 1916

JANUARY—1916

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THE CITY OF TORONTO.

The City of Toronto is situated on the northern shore of Lake Ontario, nearly due north from the mouth of the Niagara River. It lies on a plateau gradually ascending from the Lake Shore to an altitude of 220 feet, and covers an area (not including land covered by water) of about thirty-two square miles. It is generally level with slight depressions at points where minor water courses formerly existed. The harbor in front of the City (a square mile in area) is formed by an island lying to the south of it.

The name of the City is of Indian origin, meaning "a place of meeting," the site in early times being a rendezvous for Indian tribes for council or war-like expedition. It first appears as a centre of trade in 1749, when the French built a fort and started a small trading settlement under the name of Fort Rouille. Its occupancy, however, was not long undisturbed, as British traders appeared soon from the south, and in the war between France and England the fort was burned in order to prevent English occupation in 1759.

Governor Simcoe chose the site of the City for the Capital of the Province of Upper Canada, and changed the name to York in honor of the Duke of York, son of the then King

George III. The town was occupied by the U. S. forces in 1813, and the Legislative Assembly buildings and archives were burned. Self-government was granted in 1817, and in 1834, the population having increased to 9,000, it was incorporated as the City of Toronto.

Since then its progress has been rapid and substantial. The population has doubled practically every fifteen years since incorporation. It is the second city of the Dominion, and is rapidly approaching first place. The City is noted for its many fine public and other buildings, its parks and splendid shade trees. It is the Capital of Ontario, the business of the Province being carried on in the Parliament Buildings, a magnificent brown stone structure, beautifully situated in Queen's Park.

As a location for manufacturing and commercial establishments the City possesses many advantages for the production of almost every class of goods. Its growth in every direction is so noticeable that little need be said to prove its claim of having the most favorable conditions for the production and distribution of goods. It has water communication east and west to many important centres, to tide water and to more than one-half the way across the continent, and has

railways to provide exceptional trade handling facilities. In addition to the foregoing advantages, the City is now in a position to offer to manufacturers an abundant supply of cheap electric power from Niagara Falls.

The government of the City is vested in a Municipal Council, consisting of the Mayor and four members, forming the Board of Control (all five being elected annually by the citizens at large), and twenty Aldermen (three being elected annually from each of Wards Nos. 1 to 6, and two from Ward No. 7 formerly the City of West Toronto). The Council as a whole is the legislative body of the municipality, and carries on its legislative work through standing committees in the usual way. The Board of Control is the executive body, and as such is responsible for the preparation of the annual estimates and the supervision of matters relating to finance, the appointment of officials, the carrying on of public works authorized by the Council, and the general administration of the affairs of the City, except as to the Departments of Education and Police, the first being under the control of a Board of Education, elected by the citizens, and the latter under the Board of Police Commissioners, which consists of the Mayor for the time being, the County Judge and the Police Magistrate.

Mayors of the City of Toronto, from the Date of its Incorporation in the Year 1834 to the Year 1916.

1834—William Lyon Mackenzie.
1835—Robert Baldwin Sullivan.
1836—Thomas D. Morrison.
1837—George Gurnett.
1838—John Powell.
1839—John Powell.
1840—John Powell.
1841—George Monro.
1842—Hon. Henry Sherwood.
1843—Hon. Henry Sherwood.
1844—Hon. Henry Sherwood.
1845—William Henry Boulton.
1846—William Henry Boulton.
1847—William Henry Boulton.
1848—George Gurnett.
1849—George Gurnett.
1850—George Gurnett.
1851—John George Bowes.
1852—John George Bowes.
1853—John George Bowes.
1854—Joshua George Beard.
John Beverley Robinson, President.
1855—George William Allan.
1856—John Beverley Robinson.
1857—John Hutchison.
1858—William Henry Boulton.
David Breckenridge Read.
1859—Adam Wilson.
1860—Adam Wilson.
John Carr, President.

1861—John George Bowes.
1862—John George Bowes.
1863—John George Bowes.
1864—Francis H. Medcalf.
1865—Francis H. Medcalf.
1866—Francis H. Medcalf.
1867—James E. Smith.
1868—James E. Smith.
1869—Samuel Bickerton Harman.
1870—Samuel Bickerton Harman.
D'Arcy Boulton, President.
1871—Joseph Sheard.
1872—Joseph Sheard.
1873—Alexander Manning.
1874—Francis H. Medcalf.
1875—Francis H. Medcalf.
John Baxter, President.
1876—Angus Morrison.
1877—Angus Morrison.
Patrick G. Close, President.
1878—Angus Morrison.
1879—James Beaty, Jr.
1880—James Beaty, Jr.
1881—William Barclay McMurrich.
1882—William Barclay McMurrich.
1883—Arthur Radcliffe Boswell.
1884—Arthur Radcliffe Boswell.
1885—Alexander Manning.
1886—William Holmes Howland.
1887—William Holmes Howland.
1888—Edward Frederick Clarke.
1889—Edward Frederick Clarke.
John McMillan, President.
1890—Edward Frederick Clarke.

1891—Edward Frederick Clarke.
1892—Robert John Fleming.
1893—Robert John Fleming.
1894—Warring Kennedy.
1895—Warring Kennedy.
John Shaw, President.
1896—Robert John Fleming.
1897—Robert John Fleming.
John Shaw.
1898—John Shaw.
1899—John Shaw.
1900—Ernest Albert Macdonald.
1901—Oliver A. Howland.
1902—Oliver A. Howland.
1903—Thomas Urquhart.
1904—Thomas Urquhart.
1905—Thomas Urquhart.
1906—Emerson Coatsworth.
1907—Emerson Coatsworth.
1908—Joseph Oliver.
1909—Joseph Oliver.
John J. Ward, President.
1910—George R. Geary.
John J. Ward, President.
1911—George R. Geary.
Francis S. Spence, President.
1912—George R. Geary.
Horatio C. Hocken.
Thomas L. Church, President.
1913—Horatio C. Hocken.
1914—Horatio C. Hocken.
1915—Thomas L. Church.
1916—Thomas L. Church.

CITY COUNCIL, 1916.

	Business Address	Phone	Residence Address	Phone
Mayor				
Thomas L. Church			98 Binscarth Road	N. 14
Controllers				
John O'Neill, Jr (Vice-Chairman.)			184 Wilton Ave	M. 7226
R. H. Cameron	1191 Bathurst St.	H. 1684	77 Hilton Ave.	H. 2455
Thomas Foster			20 Victor Ave	G. 2292
Joseph E. Thompson	27 Wellington St. E.	M. 547	395 Carlton St.	N. 85
Aldermen				
WARD 1.				
W. W. Hiltz	682 Broadview Ave	G. 137	682 Broadview Ave	G. 137
Wm. D. Robbins	Labor Temple	M. 4727	503 Carlaw Ave	G. 2645
A. H. Wagstaff	336 Greenwood Ave	G. 471	302 Greenwood Ave	G. 618

	Business Address	Phone	Residence Address	Phone
WARD 2.				
H. H. Ball	World Office	M. 5308	1817 Yonge St.	Bel. 88
J. R. Beamish	7 Richmond St. E	M. 5232	34 Roxborough St. E.	N. 1212
C. A. Risk	6 Ann St	M. 49	374 Lytton Blvd	Bel. 1085
WARD 3.				
C. Alfred Maguire	27 Wellington St. E	M. 6000	74 Oriole Road	H. 6178
Samuel McBride	351 Palmerston Ave.	C. 4279	351 Palmerston Av.	C. 4279
J. G. Ramsden	23 Scott St.	M. 3444	45 Yorkville Ave.	N. 1836
WARD 4.				
J. A. Cowan			100 Wilcocks St.	C. 193
A. R. Nesbitt	Crown Office Bldg.	M. 5707	525 Markham St.	C. 2615
L. M. Singer	154 Simcoe St.	A. 919	433 Palmerston Ave.	C. 4866

WARD 5.

Garnet A. Archibald...504 Lumsden Bldg.....M. 2516..275 St. George St....H. 736
Robert H. Graham.....104 Wells Hill Ave...H. 4571
W. R. Plewman....."Star" Office.....A. 2200..64 Hilton Ave.....H. 2923

WARD 6.

Joseph Gibbons .....Labor Temple.....M. 4727..611 St. Clarens Ave...J. 6206
Donald C. MacGregor..3 Carlton St.....891 Lansdowne Ave...J. 376
Fred G. McBrien..... .....2074 Queen St. E....B. 2219

WARD 7.

Samuel Ryding.....1904 Dundas St.....J. 63
F. G. I. Whetter.....1918 Dundas St.....J. 53..20 Laws St.....J. 2628

The regular meetings of the Council are held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, every alternate Monday at 2.30 o'clock p.m. (except during summer vacation).

City Council, 1916.

Service Record.

Thomas L. Church—
Alderman, Ward No. 2, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909. Controller, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914. President of Council, 1912. Mayor, 1915, 1916.

Garnet A. Archibald—
Alderman, Ward No. 5, 1916.

H. H. Ball—
Alderman, Ward No. 2, 1915, 1916.

J. R. Beamish—
Alderman, Ward No. 2, 1916.

R. H. Cameron—
Alderman, Ward No. 4, 1914, 1915. Controller, 1916.

J. A. Cowan—
Alderman, Ward No. 4, 1915, 1916.

Thomas Foster—
Alderman, St. David's Ward, 1891; Ward No. 2, 1892, 1894, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1907, 1908, 1909. Controller, 1910, 1912, 1913, 1915, 1916.

Joseph Gibbons—
Alderman, Ward No. 6, 1915, 1916.

Robert H. Graham—
Alderman, St. Stephen's Ward, 1887, 1889, 1890, 1891. Ward No. 5, 1892, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1914, 1916. Member of Board of Control, 1897.

W. W. Hiltz—
Alderman, Ward No. 1, 1914, 1916.

Donald C. MacGregor—
Alderman, Ward No. 6, 1916.

C. Alfred Maguire—
Alderman, Ward No. 3, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1914, 1915, 1916. Controller, 1912.

Samuel McBride—
Alderman, Ward No. 3, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916.

Fred. G. McBrien—
Alderman, Ward No. 6, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1916.

A. R. Nesbitt—
Alderman, Ward No. 4, 1916.

John O'Neill, Jr.—
Alderman, Ward No. 2, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912. Controller, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916.

W. R. Plewman—
Alderman, Ward No. 5, 1916.

J. G. Ramsden—
Alderman, Ward No. 3, 1903, 1904, 1915, 1916.

C. A. Risk—
Alderman, Ward No. 2, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916.

Wm. D. Robbins—
Alderman Ward No. 1, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916.

Samuel Ryding—
Alderman Ward No. 7, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916.

L. M. Singer—
Alderman, Ward No. 4, 1914, 1915, 1916.

Joseph E. Thompson—
Controller, 1915, 1916.

A. H. Wagstaff—
Alderman, Ward No. 1, 1916.

F. G. I. Whetter—
Alderman, Ward No. 7, 1914, 1916.

Board of Control and Standing Committees of the Council for the Year 1916.

Board of Control.

Thomas L. Church (Mayor), *Chairman;* Controllers John O'Neill, Jr. (*Vice-Chairman*) Robert H. Cameron, Thomas Foster, and Joseph E. Thompson.

Secretary, at City Clerk's Office.

Meets every Tuesday at 10 a.m., and every Wednesday and Thursday at 11 a.m.

Committees.

Works—Alderman Ramsden, *Chairman;;* Controller Foster, Aldermen Ball, Beamish, Graham, MacGregor, McBride, McBrien, Nesbitt, Plewman, Robbins, Ryding, Singer, Wagstaff and Whetter.

Secretary at Works Department (Room 9).

Meets every alternate Friday at 2 p.m.

Property.—Alderman Maguire, *Chairman;* Controller O'Neill, Aldermen Archibald, Ball, Beamish, Cowan, Gibbons, Hiltz, McBride, McBrien, Plewman, Ryding, Singer, Wagstaff and Whetter.

Secretary at City Clerk's Office.

Meets every alternate Monday at 11 a.m.

Parks and Exhibitions.—Alderman Ryding, *Chairman;* Controller Thompson, Aldermen Archibald, Beamish, Cowan, Gibbons, Graham, Hiltz, MacGregor, Maguire, Nesbitt, Ramsden, Risk, Robbins and Whetter.

Secretary at City Clerk's Office.

Meets every alternate Tuesday at 11 a.m.

Local Board of Health.—Alderman Risk, *Chairman;* His Worship the Mayor, Controller Cameron, Alderman Hiltz, and the Medical Officer of Health.

Secretary at City Clerk's Office.

Meets second Wednesday in each month at 3 p.m.

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION.

Appointed March 6th, 1916.

T. L. Church, K.C. (Mayor), *Chairman;* Controller Cameron; Alderman Gibbons; R. C. Harris, Commissioner of Works; G. R. Geary, K.C., Corporation Counsel (or in his absence the City Solicitor); Thomas Bradshaw, City Treasurer (or in his absence the Deputy Treasurer); E. L. Cousins, C.E., Chief Engineer and Manager Toronto Harbor Commission; H. H. Couzens, General Manager Toronto Hydro-Electric System.

Days of meeting—Every alternate Thursday at 2 p.m.

Secretary at City Clerk's Office.

Court of Revision.

P. H. Drayton, K.C., *Chairman;* William F. Ardagh, Esq., and W. Assheton Smith, Esq.

The Court sits upon the following days to hear appeals against the general assessment of the City.

Ward No.	1	June 15th.
"	2	Aug. 2nd.
"	3	Oct. 16th.
"	4	Sept. 20th.
"	5	Sept. 12th.
"	6	July 24th.
"	7	May 30th.

Appeals must be filed within the time prescribed by statute, as stated on the notice of assessment, and should be lodged with the Assessment Commissioner.

The Court also sits from time to time throughout the year to hear and determine appeals in respect of local improvement works.

All appeals for reduction of taxes on buildings in consequence of vacancy, or for any other cause, should be filed with the City Clerk.

The City Clerk is the Clerk of the Court.

City Hall.

The City Hall, situated on Queen Street, between James and Teraulay Streets, is a

massive stone structure, and contains accommodation for the Council and Officers of the Municipality, for the Board of Education and its Officers, and for the Courts of Justice (including the Police Court) and the various Judicial Officers connected therewith.

The site, expropriated in 1884, was originally intended for Court House purposes only, but it was subsequently decided to erect a combined City Hall and Court House thereon. The corner stone was laid on the 21st day of November, 1891, by the then Mayor, the late Edward F. Clarke, M.P., and the work of construction continued for eight years, the building being formally opened for public business on the 18th September, 1899, by John Shaw, Esq., Mayor of the City.

In the tower of the building is a massive clock of British manufacture (the largest winding clock on the continent), and three bells, which are used for striking the quarter hours, half hours and the hours.

The dimensions, cost, etc., of the building are as follows:

Frontage	289 feet
Depth	283 feet
Circumference	1,328 feet
Total floor space	5.40 acres
Height of tower from sidewalk	300 feet
Diameter of clock face	20 feet

Weight of bells; smallest (quarter bell), 1,904 pounds; next largest (quarter bell),

3,339 pounds; largest (hour bell), 11,648 pounds.

The total cost (including site, clock, bells, and furniture), did not exceed $2,500,000.

Civic Departments.

Mayor's Office.—2nd Floor, City Hall, south-east corner—Telephone, Main 3324.

Thomas L. Church, Mayor, 98 Binscarth Road. Telephone, North 14.

R. W. Clewlo, Secretary, Allan Gardens Apartments, 121 Carlton Street. Telephone, Main 3718.

City Clerk's Office.—2nd Floor, City Hall, centre of south corridor—Telephone, Main 3324.

W. A. Littlejohn, City Clerk, National Club, Bay Street—Telephone, Main 802.

Thomas Sanderson, Assistant City Clerk, 31 Alvin Avenue—Telephone, Belmont 522.

James W. Somers, Chief Clerk, 38 Avenue Road—Telephone, College 392.
(June 1st to October 1st, Beach 2343.)

City Treasurer's Office.—1st Floor, City Hall, south-east corner—Telephone, Main 3324.

Thomas Bradshaw, City Treasurer and Commissioner of Finance, 3 Spadina Road—Telephone, College 1485.

CIVIC DEPARTMENTS—*Continued.*

A. E. Black, Assistant Treasurer, 68 Cowan Avenue—Telephone, Parkdale 4200.

Joseph Harton, Chief Accountant, 7 Ketchum Avenue—Telephone, North 7771.

Water Works Branch, East Corridor:

Geo. H. Mitchell, Superintendent, 157 Denison Avenue.

City Auditor's Office.—Ground Floor, City Hall, west side. Telephone, Main 3324.

Walter Sterling, City Auditor, 48 Rowanwood Avenue. Telephone, North 5357.

Wm. A. Tolley, Deputy City Auditor, 124 Close Avenue. Telephone, Parkdale 4805.

Law Department.—2nd Floor, City Hall, south-east corner. Telephone, Main 3324.

William Johnston, City Solicitor, 183 Cottingham Street. Telephone, Hillcrest 415.

C. M. Colquhoun, Assistant City Solicitor, 57 High Park Avenue. Telephone, Junction 1054.

Irving S. Fairty, Assistant City Solicitor, 134 Keewatin Avenue. Telephone, Belmont 952.

J. A. Black, Secretary, Claims Commission, 312 Grace Street. Telephone, College 6130.

CIVIC DEPARTMENTS—*Continued.*

Works Department.—Ground Floor, City Hall, south-east corner. Telephone, Main 3324.

R. C. Harris, Commissioner of Works, 50 Balsam Avenue. Telephone, Beach 504.

George G. Powell, Deputy City Engineer, 129 Springhurst Ave.—Telephone, Parkdale 4652.

Murray A. Stewart, Assistant Engineer (Roadway Section), 218 Poplar Plains Road. Telephone, Hillcrest 3837.

William R. Worthington, Assistant Engineer (Sewer Section), 555 Markham Street.—Telephone, College 3134.

George A. McCarthy, Assistant Engineer (Railway and Bridge Section), 73 McLean Avenue. Telephone, Beach 1572.

John W. Matson, Chief, Accounting and Purchasing Section, 444 Gladstone Avenue. —Telephone, Junction 3424.

Arthur H. Clarke, Secretary Committee on Works, 244 Cottingham Street. — Telephone, Hillcrest 820.

Howard S. Rupert, Commissioner's Secretary, 327 Crawford Street.—Telephone, College 1434.

Water Supply Section.

James A. Milne, Electrical and Mechanical Engineer, 65 High Park Boulevard. Telephone, Parkdale 3955.

Charles L. Fellowes, Construction Engineer, 39 Lowther Avenue. Telephone, College 2248.

W. H. Randall, Superintendent of Maintenance, 188 Albany Avenue. Telephone, Hillcrest 285.

Main Pumping Station.—Telephone, Main 380.

Alexander McRae, Chief Engineer, 23 Beaconsfield Avenue.—Telephone, Park 213.

High Level Pumping Station.—Telephone, Hillcrest 402.

J. T. McMulkin, Chief Engineer, 40 Rathnally Avenue.—Telephone, Hillcrest 202.

Filtration Plant.—Fred. S. Henning, Superintendent, Centre Island.—Telephone, Main 4380.

Department of Assessment.—2nd Floor, City Hall, north-east corner.—Telephone, Main 3324.

James C. Forman, Assessment Commissioner, 435 Broadview Avenue.—Telephone, Gerrard 1294.

W. Geo. Farley, Chief Assessor, 144 Macpherson Avenue.—Telephone, North 4952.

Survey Branch.—Tracy D. LeMay, City Surveyor, 249 Sheldrake Boulevard.—Telephone, Belmont 1034.

CIVIC DEPARTMENTS—*Continued.*

Department of Property.—Ground Floor, City Hall, south-west corner.—Telephone, Main 3324.

Daniel Chisholm, Property Commissioner, Playter Boulevard.—Telephone, Gerrard 1369.

Street Cleaning Department. — Ground Floor, City Hall, north-west corner.—Telephone, Main 3324.

George B. Wilson, Street Commissioner, 62 Hazelton Ave.—Telephone, North 1991.

City Architect's Office.—Ground Floor, City Hall, north-west corner.—Telephone, Main 3324.

W. W. Pearse, City Architect, 37 Alvin Avenue.—Telephone, Belmont 613.

Parks Department. — Ground Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

Charles E. Chambers, Park Commissioner, 13 Starr Avenue.—Telephone, Parkdale 1109.

Health Department.—Ground Floor, City Hall, north-east corner. — Telephones, Main 1200 and 3324.

Charles J. Hastings, M.D., Medical Officer of Health, 252 Russill Hill Drive.—Telephone, Hillcrest 2375.

Fred. Adams, M.D., Acting Director of Laboratories, 497 Brunswick Avenue. Telephone, Hillcrest 3393.

CIVIC DEPARTMENTS—*Continued.*

City Relief Office.—Ground Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

Alfred Coyell, Relief Officer.

Police Department. — Ground and 1st Floors, City Hall, north-east corner. (Entrance from Albert St.)—Telephone, Main 222.

Police Court.—Police Magistrate, Col. George T. Denison, Dovercourt Road.

Deputy Police Magistrate, Rupert E. Kingsford, 18 St. Joseph Street. Telephone, North 1724.

Peter Ellis, Justice of the Peace, 5 Elm Grove Ave.—Telephone, Parkdale, 3284.

Cohen, Jacob, Justice of the Peace, 165 Lowther Avenue. Telephone, College 2560.

Police Court Clerk, Curran Morrison, 60 Admiral Road.—Telephone, Hillcrest 1937.

Board of Police Commissioners:

Thomas L. Church, Mayor (Chairman), 98 Binscarth Road.—Telephone, North 14.

His Honor Judge Winchester, 77 High Park Boulevard.—Telephone, Parkdale 2661.

Col. George T. Denison, Police Magistrate, Dovercourt Road.

CIVIC DEPARTMENTS—*Continued.*

Officers:

Lieut.-Col. H. J. Grasett, Chief Constable, 71 Clarendon Avenue. — Telephone, Main 222.

Deputy Chief (vacant).

Assistant Deputy Chief, David Archibald, 273 St. George Street.—Telephone, Hillcrest 785.

City Jail.—Gerrard Street, east of Don River.—Telephone, Gerrard 1200.

Rev. A. B. Chambers, Governor, 562 Gerrard Street East.—Telephone, Gerrard 1711.

John McMillan, Steward, 380 Broadview Ave.

W. T. O. Parry, M.D., Physician, 578 Spadina Avenue.—Telephone, College 1349.

Caretaker City Hall.—Third Floor, west corridor. — Frederick A. Workman. — Telephone, Main 3324.

Fire Department.—Headquarters, Adelaide Street Fire Hall.—Telephone Nos., Office, Main 2086; Fire Halls, Main 113 and 114; Fire Alarm, Main 215.

William J. Smith, Chief of Department, 118 Langley Avenue. — Telephone, Gerrard 2072.

COURT AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS.

County Court Judge's Chambers. — 1st Floor, City Hall, south-west corner.—Telephone, Main 3324.

John Winchester, Senior County Judge, 77 High Park Boulevard.—Telephone, Parkdale 2661.

Frederick M. Morson, Junior Judge, 52 Elgin Ave.—Telephone, Hillcrest 3978.

J. Herbert Denton, Junior Judge, 31 Foxbar Road.—Telephone, Hillcrest 677.

Emerson Coatsworth, Junior Judge, 1 May Square.—Telephone, North 2676.

Edward Morgan, Associate Surrogate Judge, 368 Huron Street.—Telephone, College 3168.

Sheriff's Offices.—1st Floor, City Hall, north-west corner. — Telephone, Main 3324.

Frederick Mowat, Sheriff City of Toronto, 239 Warren Road.—Telephone, Hillcrest 259.

Alexander McCowan, Sheriff County of York, 20 Lyall Ave.—Telephone, Beach 521.

County Court Clerk's Office.—1st Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

John Shaw, County Court Clerk, 49 Roxborough Street East.—Telephone, North 6643.

COURT AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS—*Continued.*

Surrogate Court Registrar's Office.—1st Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

Arthur F. Wallis, Surrogate Court Registrar, 383 Markham Street.—Telephone, College 330.

Clerk of the Peace Office.—Ground Floor, City Hall, south corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

Herbert E. Irwin, K.C., Clerk of the Peace, 332 Palmerston Avenue. — Telephone, College 5866.

Clerks of Assize Office.—2nd Floor, City Hall, west corridor.

George B. Nicol, Marshal and Clerk of Assize, Arlington Hotel. — Telephone, Adelaide 4786.

Francis J. Roche, Official Referee and Clerk of Non-Jury Court, 496 Brunswick Avenue.—Telephone, Hillcrest 1506.

Admiralty Court, Registrar's Office.—1st Floor, City Hall, west corridor. — Telephone, Main 653.

Lieut.-Col. John Bruce, Registrar, 37 Bleecker Street.—Telephone, North 137.

COURT AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS—*Continued.*

First Division Court Clerk's Office.—3rd Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

A. Maclean Howard, Clerk, 2174 Queen Street East.—Telephone, Beach 52.

Tenth Division Court Clerk's Office.—3rd Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324.

Edmund H. Duggan, Clerk, 536 Huron Street.—Telephone, Hillcrest 137.

County Crown Attorney's Offices.—1st Floor, City Hall, west corridor.—Telephone, Main 3324, and 4 Wellington Street East.—Telephone, Main 1824.

W. G. Thurston, K.C., Acting County Crown Attorney, 14 Elm Avenue.—Telephone, North 3065.

City Crown Attorney's Offices.—1st Floor, City Hall, north-east corner.—Telephone, Main 3324, and Continental Life Building, Bay Street.—Telephone, Main 2658.

J. W. Seymour Corley, K.C., City Crown Attorney, 46 Dunvegan Road.—Telephone, Hillcrest 542.

Frank J. Hughes, Assistant, 119 Roxborough Street West.—Telephone, North 2200.

Juvenile Court and Offices.—3rd Floor, City Hall, front of building.—Telephone, Main 4566.

COURT AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS—*Continued.*

Edward W. Boyd, Commissioner, 129 Warren Road.—Telephone, Hillcrest 2172.

J. J. Graham, Chief Probation Officer, 55 Charles Street West.—Telephone, North 4049.

City Registry Office. — Richmond Street West.—Telephones, Eastern Division, Main 1681; Western Division, Main 1624 and 3038.

Peter Ryan, Registrar Eastern Division, 51 Grosvenor Street.—Telephone, North 332.

R. H. Bowes, Registrar Western Division, 100 St. George Street.—Telephone, College 2692.

Summarized Statement of Debenture Debts and Sinking Funds—31st December, 1915.

Class.		Gross Debt.	Sinking Funds.			Net Debt.
			Cash.	Investments	Total.	
	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.
General Debt—						
City	57,720,427 03					
Toronto Hydro-Electric	6,650,000 00					
Parkdale	50,000 00					
East Toronto	147,127 71					
West Toronto	1,041,650 00					
Township of York School Debt	114,505 51					
North Toronto	610,337 55					
		66,334,047 80	1,927,637 64	7,482,670 59	9,410,308 23	56,923,739 57
City's share L.I. Works	2,340,012 39					
" " Act 1911	2,907,295 32					
" West Toronto	12,850 01					
		5,260,157 72	568,712 50	823,707 61	1,392,420 11	3,867,737 61
" Toronto Ry.	3,138,010 26					
		3,138,010 26	289,933 38	834,430 19	1,124,363 57	2,013,646 69
Local Improvement Debt—						
City 6,018,372 23						
" Act, 1911 5,166,607 92						
	11,184,980 15					
East Toronto	19,297 01					
West Toronto	10,510 77					
North Toronto	130,547 36					
Township of York (including Glen Road Bridge)	68,973 36					
		11,414,368 65	913,914 18	4,821,304 09	5,735,218 27	5,679,090 38

City Assets and Revenues.

(*From the City Treasurer's Budget.*)

In considering the City debt, the value of the property and other assets possessed by the City should not be overlooked. The estimated value of this property is over $41,000,000, and a large amount of it is revenue producing. This valuation is exclusive of all the public works and services of the City, which have been provided at heavy cost to the taxpayers, and, though not available assets, are required for public use and convenience. The water lots owned by the City, the walks and gardens and other leasehold property, with the Market Block, yield an annual revenue of about $160,000, which will increase from year to year as the leases mature and are renewed. This is exclusive of the Water Works, and at 4 per cent. represents a capital of over $4,000,000. In addition the City derives a revenue from licenses, police court fines, cattle market and weigh-house fees, and the street railway service, etc. These, with other revenues, bring the annual revenue of the City to $3,979,466, exclusive of the amount raised by taxation.

Estimates of the City of Toronto for the Year Ending 31st December, 1916.

Debt charges distributed as follows:

General Debt	$2,535,15
Water Works	1,104,04
Street Railway Debt	550,11
Public Schools	618,59
High Schools	105,35
Separate Schools	2,26
Public Library	13,25
Industrial Schools	2,545
Technical Schools	124,209
Civic Car Lines	149,636
Exhibition	96,115
Civic Abattoir	25,615
Total	$5,326,901

Appropriations.

Debt Charges, general, as above	$3,085,271
Administration of Justice	167,524
Police Department	862,973
Police Benefit Fund	10,000
Jail	33,360
The Public Library (including debt charges as above)	158,740
Children's Aid Society	4,000
St. Vincent de Paul Children's Aid Society	1,500
Toronto University	6,000
Public Schools (including debt charges as above)	2,877,753

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Administration Building	$5,000
Collegiate Institutes and High Schools (including debt charges as above)	415,367
High School of Commerce and Finance	74,406
Technical High School (including debt charges as above)	298,574
Separate Schools (including debt charges as above).....	176,014
Industrial Schools (including debt charges as above)	21,965
Hospitals	500,000
Juvenile Court	15,000
Local Board of Health (including Isolation Hospitals' Maintenance)	315,358
Commission on Claims.....	15,000
BOARD OF CONTROL—	
Law Department	46,332
Printing	11,000
Advertising	5,000
Stationery and Blank Books....	9,500
Assessment Department.....	116,934
C urt of Revision	4,800
Interments	1,700
Municipal Election Expenses...	27,000
Miscellaneous	25,000
Receptions	7,500
Bank Accommodation.....	140,000

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Official Salaries and Office Expenses	$223,500
General License Office	6,780
Special Items	25,742
Charitable Grants	89,800
Ontario Rifle Association	400
Trades and Labor Council	250
Royal Astronomical Society of Canada	100
Toronto Horticultural Society	300
Toronto Humane Society	750
Canadian Military Institute	750
Amalgamated Veterans' Association	150
Army and Navy Veterans	25
Open Air Horse Parade Association	500
Relatives of Late J. G. Howard	700
Island Aquatic Association	100
Art Museum of Toronto	5,000
Hydro-Electric Railway Association of Ontario	900
Ontario Good Roads Association	25
Ontario Municipal Association	100
Township of Markham	400
Township of Vaughan	100
Toronto Agricultural Society and Gardeners' and Florists' Association	50
Union of Canadian Municipalities.	1,300
National Municipal League	10
Ontario College of Art	1,000

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Teachers' Association	$ 375
Ontario Safety League	2,000
Social Service Commission.....	8,262
Neighborhood Workers' Association	3,369
Advertising Radial Railway By-law	3,000
Prisoners' Aid Association.....	1,000
Infants' Home and Infirmary, 1915	1,726
Percentage *re* Harbor Board Improvements	15,092
Widow of John Patterson, late City Treasurer	3,750
Military Grants	8,500
COMMITTEE ON WORKS—	
Roadway Section—	
Asphalt repairs	63,243
General roadway repairs	88,245
Sidewalk repairs	18,000
Permanent crossings	500
Snow cleaning	75,000
Area and Sign Division.....	6,146
Weed cutting	2,000
House numbering and street tablets	1,000
Rental of yard sites.....	390
Special Service.	
Sewer Section—	
Main sewage disposal works..	47,359
North Toronto sewage disposal works	6,976

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Provision of hypo-chlorite and maintenance of two chlorinating stations	$72,207
Sewer inspection, flushing and pumping station operation and emergency sewer breaks	97,296

Special Service.

Railway and Bridge Section—

Bridge repair and maintenance	20,541
Culvert renewal and maintenance	2,798
Level crossing maintenance...	17,857
Railway and special works...	4,000
Street Railway matters.....	4,000

Marine Section—

Operation and maintenance of tugs and scows, intake inspection, etc.	18,682

Garage Service—

Property Department	16,500

Special Service—

Roadway Section	20,863
Railway and Bridge Section..	10,290

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Civic Car Lines—

Bloor Street	$21,899	
Danforth & Gerrard.	117,832	
Scarboro Division....	30,098	
St. Clair Avenue....	88,469	
Lansdowne Avenue..	13,070	
Mimico Division.....	25,584	
		$296,952
Debt Charges—		
Interest	87,240	
Sinking Fund.....	62,396	
		149,636
Claims for Damages.....		5,000

STREET CLEANING AND SCAVENGING DEPARTMENT—

Scavenging	$350,000
Pound	500
Crematory	24,000
Street cleaning	40,000
Culvert cleaning	16,000
Asphalt cleaning	260,000
Street watering	1,361
Street flushing	16,000
Road oil	10,000
Stable	87,475
Plant and shop	37,528
Island	3,303
Superintendents' salaries	9,442
Office salaries and supplies.....	16,623

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Trolley flushing and sprinkling.	$9,000
Water for street watering.....	10,000
Snow and ice removal	24,618
Garage	5,828
Oiling (labor)	1,000
Special Items—	
Garage Service, Property Department	1,500
Pension allowances	9,320
Insurance, 1916	1,750

COMMITTEE ON PROPERTY—

Fire Department—

Ordinary expenses—	
Salaries	402,450
Fire prevention (salaries)..	9,000
Uniform clothing	15,091
Supplies and repairs.....	15,729
Grant to widow of C. Burns.	96
North Toronto Volunteer Fire Brigade	793
Keep of horses	19,215
Water, fuel and light—	
Water supply for Fire Protection	620,672
Water supply to Fire Halls.	2,000
Lighting Fire Halls.....	3,500
Fuel for Fire Halls.....	8,300

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

High pressure fire protection maintenance, etc.	$36,478
New plant	62,015
Fire Alarm Telegraph	7,535
Rent of Fire Tug	5,000
Miscellaneous (stationery, etc.)	2,642
Fire Department Superannuation and Benefit Fund, Annual Grant	8,750
Street lighting	350,820
Park lighting	10,900
Island lighting	3,586
Public Buildings—	
Fire Halls, general repairs, etc.	9,691
Police Stations, general repairs, etc.	2,091
Public halls, general repairs	1,215
Tower clocks	1,545
Miscellaneous, including plumbing, etc	3,000
Insurance	18,300
East end bath house	4,842
Salaries	25,886
Registry Office	18,729
Fuel, gas and water	1,025
Office supplies	1,700
Harrison Baths	14,709
Public lavatories, maintenance	24,896
City Garage	46,440
Garage Service	4,800

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

CITY HALL—		
General maintenance		$72,406
Special Items—		
Furniture, linoleum, etc.....		1,800
Miscellaneous repairs, furniture, etc.		7,150
Public Markets—		
Maintenance and repairs.....		22,606
Western Cattle Market—		
Maintenance		9,311
Repairs		9,210
Salary of Superintendent.....		1,800
Ground rent of site.....		1.275
Stock Yards		7,790
Municipal Abattoir—		
Maintenance, supplies, etc....		159,495
Debt Charges—		
Interest	18,702	
Sinking Fund	6,913	
		25,615
General—		
Civic Registration and Employment Bureau		3,234
Free bathing service		4,300

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Recovery of bodies	$ 600
Industrial Farm (Men's).....	44,055
Industrial Farm (Women's)..	14,110
Reception Hospital	200
Architect's Department—	
Salaries	54,350
Office supplies, printing, etc...	3,500
Demolition of dangerous buildings	500
Miscellaneous	2,875

WATER WORKS ACCOUNT.

Expenditure.

Pumping stations and water supply	$373,439	
Main extensions, etc....	32,330	
Maintenance and distribution	225,448	
Supply	7,050	
Insurance	17,805	
Water Works Department, Revenue Branch:		
Salaries and wages....	50,843	
Office supplies, printing, stationery, etc.	10,328	
		61,171
Debt Charges: Interest, sinking fund, commission, etc.		1,104,048

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

COMMITTEE ON PARKS AND EXHIBITIONS—

General Expenditure—

Exhibition Park	$30,954
Willowvale Park	2,848
Dufferin Grove	2,642
Dovercourt Park	1,943
Bellwoods Park and Prittie Ravine	2,332
Stanley Park	900
Perth Avenue Square and Carlton Park	1,082
Old Fort Grounds	1,475
Beaty Boulevard	665
Bickford Ravine	1,500
Trinity Park	2,279
High Park	21,305
Oakmount Park	478
Runnymede Park	283
Allan Gardens	13,000
Queen's Park	7,000
Alexandra Park	4,546
City Hall Square	1,694
Vermont Square	538
Bellevue Square	561
Clarence Square	747
Walmer Circle	65
The Grange	1,317
Victoria Memorial Park	700
Spadina Road Park	806

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Kendal and St. Alban's Squares	$1,016
Church Grounds	969
Waterworks Grounds, North Toronto	1,117
Riverdale Park	13,500
Riverdale Zoo	18,000
Rosedale Ravines	4,000
Kew Gardens	4,002
Leslie Grove	643
Withrow Park	3,878
Ketchum Park	1,095
Cottingham Square	406
Ramsden Park	2,716
Moss Park	457
Harbor Square	1,000
Reservoir Park	8,520
Baird Park	1,214
Public Library Grounds, College Street	780
Monarch Park	1,067
Norwood Road Park	443
Mechanical Section	2,112
Old Hospital Grounds	250
Island Park	19,000
Miscellaneous:	
Rinks and toboggan slides	17,583
Forestry Department (tree trimming, etc.)	35,000
Supervised Playgrounds and supplies	39,001

ESTIMATES—*Continued.*

Office expenses		$1,87
Salaries		27,10
Miscellaneous		6,50
Garage service		2,40
Insurance, 1916		7,70
Permanent Improvements:		
Bellwoods Park and Prittie Ravine		63
High Park		21
Humber Boulevard		31,75
Bickford Ravine		1,50
Reservoir Park		62
Kendal and St. Alban's Squares		49
Island Park		3,00
Ward's Island		1,77
Exhibition:		
Repairs, lighting etc.		12,99
Debt Charges:		
Interest	$46,692	
Sinking Fund	49,423	
		96,11
THE PROVINCIAL WAR TAX		582,02

REVENUE.

Water rentals	1,762,92
Rentals of City property, including Police Stations	170,500

REVENUE—*Continued.*

entals of offices for Law Courts, Police Department and Board of Education	$78,873
eneral City licenses	105,000
arket fees	9,738
eigh house fees	3,638
olice Court fines and fees	35,000
rovincial Government, Railway Tax	10,000
rovincial Government, proportion Crown witness fees and inquests	7,000
rovincial Government, proportion cost of prisoners maintained at City Jail	11,000
rovincial Government, one-half of Chief Coroner's salary ($1,500)	750
rovincial Government, proportion of cost of Criminal Justice	17,500
ounty of York, cost of County prisoners maintained at City Jail	1,000
ounty of York, share of Expenditure on Civil Justice	7,370
ity Division Court, fees on suits entered	500
ity Officials, fees funded to City	2,415
ivic Car Lines Revenue	200,000
ivic Car Lines Advertising	950
ocal improvement transfers	135
treet area rentals	39,900
arrison Bath fees	3,400

REVENUE—*Continued.*

Local Board of Health, fees from patients at Hospital, etc.....	$5,0(
Industrial Exhibition Association.	25,0(
Removal of waste from factories and warehouses	1,7(
Don improvement, annual rates...	1,5(
Consumers' Gas Company, stock dividend	1,5(
Building permit fees	12,0(
Elevator fees	4,3(
Jail Farm revenue	4,3(
Garage revenue	39,9(
Cattle Market bridge rental.....	7(
Pound fees	1(
Toronto Suburban Railway mileage	4(
Civic Abattoir revenue	152,1(
Anticipated revenues and receipts other than above	10,8(
Taxation .....13,001,5(	

SPECIAL SERVICE:

Toronto Street Railway Account:

Mileage	$ 96,576	
Percentage of gross earnings	860,000	
		956,5(

Less Debt Charges:

Interest	$155,476	
Sinking Fund	394,640	
		550,1

Result of Voting September 21st, 1911.

Centre Toronto—

Edmund Bristol (Conservative)..	5,156
C. Alfred Maguire (Liberal).....	2,994

East Toronto—

Hon. A. E. Kemp (Conservative).	7,082
Joseph Russell (Independent)....	2,281
James Pearson (Liberal).....	1,878
James Richards (Labor).....	463

North Toronto—

Sir George Foster (Conservative)	6,474
W. H. Shaw (Liberal).....	3,157

West Toronto—

Sir Edmund Osler (Conservative)	11,444
Gordon Waldron (Liberal).....	3,437

South Toronto—

A. C. Macdonell (Conservative)..	4,473
J. J. Ward (Liberal).....	2,110

South York—

W. F. Maclean (Conservative)...	7,194
Louis F. Heyd (Liberal).....	1,901

Result of Voting, June 22nd, 1914.

North-east Toronto—

Seat "A."

Hon. Robert A. Pyne (Conservative)	5,9
Bartholomew E. McKenzie (Liberal)	4,2

Seat "B."

Mark H. Irish (Conservative).....	5,6
Charles A. Moss (Liberal).....	4,4

North-west Toronto—

Seat "A."

Hon. Thos. Crawford (Conservative)	6,1
Arthur Black Farmer (Liberal)....	3,8

Seat "B."

Wm. D. McPherson (Conservative).	5,9
Wellington O. McTaggart (Liberal)	3,5
W. E. S. James (Socialist).....	5

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION RETURNS—*Cont'd.*

South-east Toronto—

Seat "A."

Edward W. J. Owens (Conservative)	4,296
John Charles Allen (Liberal).....	1,420
Isaac Bambridge (Socialist).....	263

Seat "B."

Thomas Hook (Conservative).....	4,362
Albert Dale (Liberal)	1,584

South-west Toronto—

Seat "A."

Hon. James J. Foy (Conservative)..	6,127
Charles A. Maybee (Liberal)	2,431
John Colombo (Socialist).....	342

Seat "B."

Geo. H. Gooderham (Conservative)	6,509
William E. Raney (Liberal).....	2,491

Riverdale Division—

Joseph Russell (Conservative).....	3,299
William W. Hiltz (Independent)....	1,337
Thomas E. Black (Socialist).....	141

Parkdale Division—

William H. Price (Conservative)...	2,981
William M. McTavish (Liberal)....	2,344

Municipal Elections.

Result of Voting, January 1st, 1916.

For Mayor:

Thomas L. Church	28,557
Harry Winberg	9,890

For Controllers:

Joseph E. Thompson	18,291
John O'Neill, Jr.	17,570
Thomas Foster	16,085
Robert H. Cameron	15,394
James Simpson	13,082
Francis S. Spence	12,650
John Dunn	10,980

For Aldermen:

Ward No. 1	Wm. D. Robbins	4,284
"	Albert H. Wagstaff	4,011
"	William W. Hiltz	3,658
"	Albert E. Walton	2,966
"	Robert M. Yeomans	2,599
"	Walter Brown	913
Ward No. 2	Chas. A. Risk	2,586
"	John R. Beamish	2,536
"	H. H. Ball	2,166

MUNICIPAL ELECTION RETURNS—*Cont'd.*

Ward No. 2—	Chas. H. Beavis.....	1,981
"	Thos. W. Barber.....	732
Ward No. 3—	C. Alfred Maguire.....	3,397
"	J. G. Ramsden.....	2,154
"	Samuel McBride.....	1,971
"	Thomas Vance.....	1,657
Ward No. 4—	Arthur R. Nesbitt.....	2,652
"	John A. Cowan.....	2,374
"	L. M. Singer.....	2,177
"	Arthur W. Miles.....	1,954
Ward No. 5—	Garnet A. Archibald....	2,807
"	Robert H. Graham.....	2,789
"	William R. Plewman...	2,016
"	Jas. M. Warren.....	1,861
"	Joseph T. V. May.....	1,571
"	John W. Meredith.....	1,435
"	Geo. H. Hagar.....	1,373
"	James A. Thompson....	1,290
"	Albert W. Moore.....	339
Ward No. 6—	Fred. G. McBrien.....	4,506
"	Joseph Gibbons	4,414
"	Donald C. MacGregor...	4,006
"	George Birdsall	3,895
"	Thomas Roden	2,391
Ward No. 7—	Samuel Ryding	1,419
"	F. G. I. Whetter.....	1,251
"	Wm. H. Weir.....	1,108

Municipal Election Returns—*Cont'd.*

Board of Education Election.

Result of Voting, January 1st, 1916.

Ward No. 1	Gilmour J. Steele.....	5,100
"	James H. Jones.....	2,550
Ward No. 2	John Noble	3,090
"	R. C. Brown.....	1,162
Ward No. 3	William Houston. (Elected by acclamation)	
Ward No. 4	Miles Vokes	3,054
"	Isaac Bambridge	1,428
Ward No. 5	Wellington O. McTaggart	3,774
"	John F. Thompson.....	2,672
Ward No. 6	William W. Hodgson. (Elected by acclamation)	
Ward No. 7	Fred. B. Edmunds.....	1,559
"	Alfred J. Cheesman....	663

Area of City and Street Statistics.

Area of the City, not including portion of land covered by water, is about 32 square miles.

Miles of streets, 530.24.

Miles of lanes (approximately), 140.

Roadway Mileage—

	Jan. 1st, 1915.	Jan. 1st., 1916.
Asphalt	201.16	217.71
Asphalt block	6.28	6.28
Cedar block	2.97	2.90
Brick	29.22	31.56
Macadam	31.32	29.53
Rocmac macadam	3.06	4.56
Wooden block (treated)	.99	1.05
Stone and scoria block	1.56	1.56
Concrete (other than lanes)	3.56	6.03
Asphaltic concrete and asphaltic macadam	7.86	8.40
Bitulithic	45.56	49.63
Paved lanes, mostly concrete	11.53	11.88
Unimproved roadways	196.70	171.03

Sidewalk Mileage—

Stone flag	1.73	1.73
Concrete	689.95	704.96
Brick	3.74	3.74

STREET STATISTICS—*Continued.*

	Jan. 1st, 1915.	Jan. 1st, 1916.
Sewer mileage..... (Sewage is all treated and averages daily 44,735,000 gallons).	506.54	540.70
Water main mileage.....	555.03	577.70
Gas main mileage.....	573.66	578.12
Street railway (single track) mileage	119.45	122.89

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

The number of births, marriages and deaths in the City of Toronto during the year 1915, as shown by the Registration returns, is as follows:

Births	13,293
Marriages	5,693
Deaths	6,175

All births and marriages must be registered at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, within 30 days from the occurrence thereof.

Deaths must be registered at the same office before a permit to bury can issue.

Physicians attending are required to send in notices of births, and parents, or occupants of dwellings where births occur, are required to register same.

Clergymen officiating are required to register marriages.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS—*Continued.*

Physicians attending are required to certify as to deaths.

Neglect or failure to send in notice in either case renders parties liable to a fine not exceeding $10 and costs.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

The death rate of the City in 1915, exclusive of still births, is 11.6 per thousand of the population.

The typhoid fever death rate was a very low one—1.9 per hundred thousand. Scarlet fever and diphtheria death rates were also very low, being 2.9 and 13.0 respectively per hundred thousand. The rates for tuberculosis in all its forms was 100, and from pneumonia 103 per hundred thousand.

The public hospitals in the City are located as follows:

Toronto General Hospital, College Street.

St. Michael's Hospital, Bond Street.

Sick Children's Hospital, College Street.

Western Hospital, Bathurst Street.

Grace Hospital, College and Huron Streets.

St. John's Hospital, Major Street.

Women's Hospital, Rusholme Road.

Riverdale Isolation Hospital for Contagious Diseases, Gerrard Street East.

The ordinary ambulances for cases of non-contagious diseases are under the control of the Police, and answer to the call of "Main

222." The ambulance for cases of contagious diseases is in connection with the Health Department, and answers to "Main 2729."

In all complaints as to nuisances dangerous to public health—drop a post card to the Health Department.

In case of accident, the patient, if of adult age and conscious, has the right to state to what hospital or where he wishes to be taken. In cases of children, or those in an unconscious condition, the medical attendant, and in cases where there is no medical attendant, the Police, are supposed to direct the ambulance.

In cases where a person is found dead and no medical man has been in attendance, a coroner should be notified, who has authority to issue a warrant to bury after view, or order an inquest, as he may deem necessary.

POPULATION—AS SHEWN BY ASSESSORS.

1834	9,254
1844	18,420
1854	38,480
1864	45,156
1874	67,995
1884	105,211
1894	167,653
1904	226,045
1905	238,642

POPULATION—*Continued.*

1906	253,720
1907	272,600
1908	287,201
1909	325,302
1910	341,991
1911	374,667
1912	417,250
1913	445,575
1914	470,144

POPULATION, 1915, BY WARDS.

Ward No. 1	85,873
" 2	65,324
" 3	47,206
" 4	69,167
" 5	75,819
" 6	95,096
" 7	25,220
Total	463,705

POPULATION—AS SHEWN BY POLICE CENSUS.

1893	188,333
1897	195,987
1901	221,583
1905	262,749
1908	301,930
1912	425,407

Assessment of City.

(*Every fifth year, from 1880 to 1910, and annually since then.*)

Year.		Tax Rate on $	Tax for City and School Purposes.
1880	$50,166,639	17 mills	$852,833
1885	68,957,706	17 "	1,172,281
1890	136,887,328	14½ "	2,084,866
1895	146,382,412	16½ "	2,378,707
1900	124,992,959	19½ "	2,437,362
1905	149,159,206	19 "	2,834,025
1910	269,866,219	17½ "	4,721,189
1911	306,604,774	18 "	5,518,886
1912	343,598,145	18½ "	6,352,433
1913	436,120,049	19½ "	8,494,422
1914	513,366,151	19½ "	9,865,068
1915	565,132,579	*23 "	12,982,209
1916	581,951,013	*22½ "	13,076,642

Note.—The amount of taxes raised as above set forth may not balance with the amount found by calculating the mill rate on the assessment for any given year. The difference arises from the fact that a portion of the assessment is liable for school rates only.

* These rates include the Provincial War Tax of 1 mill on the dollar.

Rates for Gas.

The rate for gas for all purposes is 70 cents per 1,000 cubic feet. Accounts are rendered monthly, and must be paid within fifteen days to secure this rate.

Weather Records.

Year.	Average Temperature. Winter. Jan.Feb.	Summer J'ly Aug.	Years Average	Lowest Temperature during year. Date.	Below Zero.	Highest Temperature during year. Date.	Above Zero.
898	25.0	70.1	47.2	Jan. 30	15.0	Sept. 2	97.1
899	21.1	69.1	45.8	Feb. 11	12.0	Aug. 19	92.1
900	23.4	70.0	46.9	Feb. 26	9.6	Aug. 8	98.0
901	20.4	70.4	45.6	Jan. 19	10.9	June 27	97.1
902	22.7	66.5	45.6	Dec. 9	3.3	July 8	91.0
903	24.6	65.8	45.6	Dec. 28	9.7	July 8	91.5
904	14.6	65.6	42.2	Jan. 4	15.1	July 18	93.0
905	17.0	68.2	44.5	Feb. 4	8.2	July 19	92.1
906	26.4	70.3	46.3	Feb. 2	12.1	July 22	92.1
907	20.1	66.9	44.1	Jan. 24	10.0	July 16	88.8
908	21.3	68.5	46.3	Feb. 4	17.4	July 30	91.5
909	26.5	68.4	46.1	Feb. 1	8.7	Aug. 25	94.0
910	23.2	69.4	46.4	Feb. 6	10.2	June 22	93.4
911	25.7	70.4	47.7	Jan. 16	1.7	July 3	103.2
912	16.5	66.8	44.8	Feb. 10	18.8	Sept. 10	92.7
913	26.0	69.4	47.9	Mar. 7	2.2	July 1	95.0
914	20.5	69.3	46.0	Jan. 13	22.0	July 11	93.0
915	24.8	67.3	46.8	Jan. 22	1.0	Aug. 16	87.5

WEATHER RECORDS—*Continued.*

1840-1915.

Warmest day, mean temperature, 90.8 degrees on the 3rd July, 1911.

Highest registered temperature, 103.2 degrees on the 3rd July, 1911.

Coldest day, 13th January, 1914.

Mean temperature of 15.9 degrees below zero.

Lowest registered temperature, 26.5 degrees below zero on 10th January, 1859.

Warmest year, 1913, mean temperature, 47.9 degrees.

Coldest year, 1875, mean temperature, 40.8 degrees.

Heaviest day rain, 3.88 in. on 27th July, 1897.

Heaviest day snow, 16.2 in. on 28th March, 1876.

Heaviest fall of snow in any winter, 123.5 in. in 1869-70.

Least fall of snow in any winter, 30.2 in. in 1877-78.

The above information is supplied from the Meteorological Office by the Director, Sir R. F. Stupart.

Public Parks.

The Parks of the City, with area of each, are as follows:

Park.	Area.
Alexandra Park	6.8 acres.
Allan Gardens	10.1 "
Baird Park	2.5 "
Beaty Boulevard	.83 "
Bellevue Square	1.15 "
Bellwoods Park	5.51 "
Bickford Ravine	15.0 "
Brock Avenue Playground	2.65 "
Carlton Park	2.0 "
Clarence Square	1.63 "
Cottingham Square	1.7 "
City Hall Square	1.02 "
Dovercourt Park	6.1 "
Drumsnab Road	1.76 "
Dufferin Grove	8.61 "
Elizabeth Street Playground	1.22 "
Exhibition Park	234.94 "
Grange, The	5.86 "
Harbour Square	3.6 "
High Park	335.0 "
Hillcrest Park	1.2 "
Humber Boulevard	129.25 "
Kew Gardens	20.93 "
Kendal Square	1.22 "
Ketchum Park	4.34 "
Leslie Grove	1.8 "
Monarch Park	12.5 "

PUBLIC PARKS—*Continued.*

Park.	Area.
Moss Park	1.2 acres
Moss Park Recreation Centre	1.98 "
Morse Street Playground	.34 "
McCormick Playground	2.65 "
Norwood Park	4.0 "
North Rosedale Park	.82 "
Oakmount Park	5.5 "
O'Neill Playground	1.29 "
Osler Playground	.83 "
Prittie Ravine	8.29 "
Perth Avenue Square	1.75 "
Queen's Park	37.2 "
Rosedale Ravines	36.13 "
Riverdale Park	108.67 "
Ramsden Park	9.9 "
Reservoir and Summerhill Pks.	43.98 "
Regent Street Playground	1.29 "
Runnymede Park	4.2 "
St. Alban's Square	.23 "
St. Andrew's Square	1.34 "
Spadina Road Park	.86 "
Stanley Park	9.0 "
Trinity Park	28.65 "
Vermont Square	2.0 "
Victoria Memorial Park	2.46 "
Walmer Road Circle	.11 "
Willowvale Park	16.7 "
Withrow Park	19.2 "
Water Works Park	26.6 "

PUBLIC PARKS—*Continued.*

Park.	Area.
Water lots, front of Exhibition Park	38.47 acres
Water lots, Exhibition Park to Humber	186.4 "
Water lots, Exhibition Park to Bathurst Street	60.62 "
Water lots, Kew Gardens	8.43 "
Island Park land	224.08 "
Island Park, water	106.3 "
Simcoe Park, land	37.82 "
Simcoe Park, water	7.37 "
Total land area	1,454.60 "
Total water area	407.34 "
Total	1,861.94 "

Recreation and Playgrounds.

In connection with the public parks there are:—

Equipped playgrounds	11
Baseball fields	36
Cricket fields	10
Football fields	26
Tennis courts	122
Bowling greens	8
Quoiting grounds	2
Croquet grounds	2
Lacrosse fields	3

Public Parks—*Continued.*

Skating rinks	3
Hockey rinks	3
Toboggan slides	
Bathing stations	

Zoological Collection.

The City has now a very creditable collection of animals, birds, etc., at Riverdale Park and High Park. At Riverdale Zoo are to be found a varied collection of animals including an elephant, six lions, a tiger, leopards, polar bears, Canadian, Japanese, Russian and Syrian bears, wolves, monkeys, llamas, deer, etc., also birds of various kinds including eagles, storks, cranes and many species of parrots, wild fowl, etc.; also several alligators and a number of reptiles.

In High Park there are several buffalo, moose and elk.

The collection at Riverdale Park has been largely obtained through the efforts of Ex-Alderman Daniel Lamb, in securing their donation by public spirited citizens.

Street Railway Statistics.

Statement of revenue received from the Toronto Railway Company:

Year.	Mileage.	Percentage.	Total.
	$ c.	$ c.	$ c.
1891 (4 months only)	18,134 94	22,967 10	41,102 04
1892....	55,134 00	65,239 38	120,373 38
1893....	56,340 00	72,234 51	128,574 51
1894....	58,170 00	76,385 70	134,555 70
1895....	60,000 00	78,196 76	138,196 76
1896....	60,000 00	78,921 67	138,921 67
1897....	60,000 00	85,673 96	145,673 96
1898....	64,000 00	98,361 46	162,361 46
1899....	64,000 00	111,425 66	175,425 66
1900....	64,000 00	127,128 10	191,128 10
1901....	68,000 00	145,209 24	213,209 24
1902....	70,274 52	165,172 69	235,447 21
1902* ..	37,236 16	.....	37,236 16
1903....	71,986 33	206,934 25	278,920 58
1904....	73,873 60	249,511 42	323,385 02
1905....	73,982 00	292,706 72	366,688 72
1905* ..	6,879 56	.....	6,879 56
1906....	78,445 08	348,963 48	427,408 56
1906* ..	2,520 57	.....	2,520 57
1907....	80,994 33	419,606 91	500,601 27
1908....	81,158 00	447,397 67	528,555 64
1909....	82,127 62	507,827 49	589,955 11
1910....	83,040 58	596,297 35	679,337 93
1911....	84,458 00	687,650 00	772,108 00
1912....	90,953 00	798,958 66	889,916 66
1913....	91,466 20	939,990 93	1,031,457 13
1914....	95,756 96	955,740 24	1,051,497 20
1915....	96,576 89	868,254 46	964,831 35
	1,829,513 54	8,446,756 25	10,276,269 79

* Arrears of mileage.

STREET RAILWAY STATISTICS—*Continued.*

In addition to the foregoing, the Company is taxed on its lands, plant and buildings, and in respect of its business in the same manner as if it were an ordinary business enterprise. Taxes for 1916 will be levied on an assessment of $4,410,022, and will amount to $99,225, exclusive of any local improvement rates for which the Company are liable.

Passengers carried in 1915..... 142,061,258
Transfers issued in 1915..... 62,398,638
Net profit of Company for 1915 after paying City's share..... $1,192,489

Percentage of operating expenses to earnings, for 1915, 57.9 per cent.

The portion of the gross receipts of the Company payable to the City annually under the Street Railway agreement is as follows:

Up to $1,000,000 ..... 8 per cent.
From $1,000,000 to $1,500,000...10 "
From $1,500,000 to $2,000,000...12 "
From $2,000,000 to $3,000,000...15 "
All over $3,000,000.....20 "

The mileage payable to the City annually is at the rate of $800 per single track line (exclusive of turnouts).

Fares chargeable by the Company are as follows:

Cash fares, 5 cents each, good between 5.30 a.m. and midnight.

STREET RAILWAY STATISTICS—*Continued.*

Night fares (cash), 10 cents each (for use between midnight and 5.30 o'clock a.m.)

Tickets (sold by conductors on cars) as follows:

25 for $1.00; 6 for 25c., good at all times between 5.30 a.m. and midnight.

8 for 25c., good before 8 a.m. and between 5 and 6.30 p.m.

7 for 25c., good on Sundays.

10 for 25c., good for school children between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., except on Saturdays and Sundays.

Children under 9 years of age are carried at half fare. Infants in arms free.

Transfer tickets are issued free of charge to enable passengers to reach any point in the City for one fare.

The agreement existing between the City and the Company expires on September 1st, 1921.

CIVIC CAR LINE STATISTICS.

The City of Toronto operates four electric car lines as follows:

(1) Gerrard Street, Greenwood Avenue to Main Street, length 1.83 miles; passengers carried during 1915—1,208,114.

(2) Danforth Avenue, Broadview Avenue to east City limits, length 3.39 miles; passengers carried during 1915—4,528,364.

STREET RAILWAY STATISTICS—*Continued.*

(3) St. Clair Avenue, Yonge Street to Grand Trunk Railway tracks, length, 3.18 miles; passengers carried during 1915—5,271,982.

(4) Bloor Street, Dundas Street to Quebec Avenue, length .75 miles. Passengers carried from February 23rd to December 31st, 1915, 703,930.

The operation of these car lines is under the control of the Works Department.

Fares.

Single (cash) fares, 5.30 a.m. to midnight, 2c. each.

Six tickets to be sold for 10c.

Children under nine years of age, and not in arms, to be carried at half fare rates (cash), and infants in arms to be carried free.

Night fare (single), from midnight to 5.30 a.m., 5c.

PAYMENT OF TAXES.

Taxes for 1916 are payable as follows:

1st instalment, July 21st.
2nd instalment, September 21st.
3rd instalment, November 21st.

Cattle Market Receipts for 1915.

Cattle received	16,812
Sheep received	40,602
Hogs received	34,440
Calves received	3,449
Weigh fees	$760.87

Cattle Market Fees, Etc.

The municipality will collect market fees and sell fodder for live stock at the Market during 1916.

Building Statistics Since 1907.

Year.	No. of Permits Issued.	No. of Buildings Erected.	Value of Buildings Erected.
			$
1907	3,572	5,051	14,225,800
1908	3,921	5,285	13,156,652
1909	5,056	7,184	18,139,247
1910	6,204	8,499	21,127,783
1911	7,296	9,869	24,374,539
1912	7,173	10,217	27,401,761
1913	7,177	9,884	27,038,624
1914	6,600	8,927	20,694,288
1915	4,407	5,181	6,651,889

Local Improvement Works.

When the owners of property on any street or lane desire a sewer, sidewalk, pavement or curbing, or when the property owners in any locality desire the opening, widening, extension or diversion of any street or lane, application should be made to the Works Department for a form of petition to the Council for the work or improvement. When such petition is signed by two-thirds in number of the owners representing more than one-half in value of the property to be benefited by the work or improvement, the Council may proceed therewith and assess the cost against the property benefited.

If the names of two-thirds in number of the property owners representing more than one-half in value of the property cannot be obtained, the petition may nevertheless be presented, and if the Council, on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Works, finds that the work is necessary, and in the public interest, it may direct that it be proceeded with, unless a majority of the property owners interested representing at least one-half of the value of the property to be assessed petition against the proposed work or improvement within a month after the Council gives notice of its intention to proceed with such work.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT WORKS—*Continued.*

Notwithstanding any petition to the contrary, the Council, if it deems the same necessary in the public interest, and by a two-thirds vote of the whole Council, may proceed with any of the above-mentioned works and assess the cost thereof against the property benefited.

The following tables prepared by the Works Department show the approximate annual cost of different classes of permanent pavements and sidewalks. Similar information as to sewers cannot be given owing to variations in the cost of excavating different grades of soil. The Works Department, however, will furnish an estimate as to the cost of sewers upon application being made therefor by property owners interested.

PAVEMENTS

Roadway 28 feet wide with Concrete Curbs.

Description of Pavement.	Cost per square yard. (Estimated).	Cost per foot frontage.	Number of Annual Payments.	Cost per foot frontage per annum.
	$ c.	$ c.		Cents.
Asphalt, on 5-in. concrete	2 37	4 92	10	67.5
Asphalt, on 6-in. concrete	2 56	5 23	10	71.7
Asphaltic Concrete, on 5-in. concrete	2 54	5 19	10	71.2
Asphaltic Concrete, on 6-in. concrete	2 73	5 49	10	75.3
Bitulithic on 5-in. concrete	2 66	5 36	10	73.5
Bitulithic on 6-in. concrete	2 85	5 67	10	77.8
Brick Block, on 5-in. concrete	3 40	6 47	10	88.8
Brick Block, on 6-in. concrete	3 59	6 80	10	93.3
Treated Wood Block, on 5-in. concrete	4 84	8 45	10	115.9
Treated Wood Block, on 6-in. concrete	5 03	9 01	10	123.6

Macadam	1 84	3 70	5	88.2
Macadam, with Brick Gutters	1 84	4 00	5	95.5
Rocmac Macadam	2 05	4 05	5	96.5
Rocmac Macadam, with Brick Gutters	2 05	4 34	5	103.5

NOTE.—The Asphalt, Bitulithic, Brick Block and Treated Wood Block Pavements are guaranteed by the contractors for ten years, the Rocmac Macadam for three years and the Macadam for one year.

The attention of property owners is directed to the difference in number of annual payments and resulting variation in annual cost per foot frontage.

SIDEWALKS

Class of Sidewalk.	Width in feet.	Cost per foot Frontage. (Estimated.)	Number of Annual Payments.	Cost per foot Frontage per annum.
		$ c.		Cents.
Concrete (Heavy)	12	3 06	10	42 0
Concrete "	10	2 58	10	35.4
Concrete "	8	2 12	10	29.1
Concrete "	6	1 66	10	22.8
Concrete " with 6-inch curb	12	3 52	10	48.3
Concrete (Light)	8	1 85	10	25.4
Concrete "	6	1 46	10	20.0
Concrete "	5	1 26	10	17.3
Concrete "	4	85	10	11.7
Concrete " with 6-inch curb	6	1 92	10	26.3
Concrete " " " "	5	1 72	10	23.6
Concrete " " " "	4	1 31	10	18.0

Note.—The concrete sidewalks are guaranteed by the contractors for 5 years.

Water Works Stations and Equipment.

Main Pumping Station, foot of John St. on Water Front.

General Service.

No. 6 Engine, 15,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

No. 7 Engine, 15,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

No. 8 Engine, 20,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

4 electrically-driven pumps, each 13,500,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

High Pressure Fire Service.

2 steam turbine-driven centrifugal pumps, each 5,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

West Toronto Pumping Station, Ellis Ave.

No. 1 Engine, 2,500,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

Beech Avenue Pumping Station, East Toronto.

2 electrically-driven turbine pumps, each 1,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

WATER WORKS—*Continued.*

East Toronto Pumping Station, Gerrard St.

1 Engine, 1,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

1 Engine, 1,250,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

North Toronto Pumping Station, Sherwood Avenue.

2 Engines, 450,000 gals. each, capacity, 24 hours (steam).

Riverdale Pumping Station, Broadview Ave.

1 electrically-driven pump, 5,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

High Level Pumping Station, Poplar Plains Road.

Domestic Service.

2 Engines, 3,500,000 gals. each, capacity, 24 hours (steam).

2 Engines, 6,500,000 gals. each, capacity, 24 hours (steam).

2 Engines, 7,500,000 gals. each capacity, 24 hours (steam).

2 Engines, 20,000,000 gals. each capacity, 24 hours (steam).

WATER WORKS—*Continued.*

4 electrically-driven pumps, each 10,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

4 electrically-driven pumps, each 6,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

Island Filtration Plant Pumping Station.

Filter Service.

1 engine-driven centrifugal pump, 72,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

1 electrically-driven pump, 24,500,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

1 electrically-driven pump, 18,500,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

1 electrically-driven pump, 12,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

Island Domestic Service.

1 Engine, 1,000,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours (steam).

1 electrically-driven pump, 1,500,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

Island Fire Service.

1 electrically-driven pump, 1,500,000 gals. capacity, 24 hours.

Water Works—*Continued.*

Water Works Statistics.

No. of hydrants	6,403
No. of hydrants (high pressure system)	147
No. of water main valves....	6,039
Water consumed in 1915 (Imperial gals.	17,567,290,000
Average daily consumption in Imperial gallons.....	48,100,000
Average daily consumption per capita (based upon population of 470,000).....	104 Imp. gals.
Maximum consumption per capita per day.....	127 "

Water Rates.

Payment of Rates.—Water rates are payable as follows:

General Rates—Half yearly, on or before April 30th and October 31st.

Meter Rates—Quarterly, on or before January 31st, April 30th, July 31st, and October 31st.

A discount of 10 per cent. is allowed upon all rates (except for water supplied on the Island), when payment is made on or before the above-mentioned dates.

WATER RATES—*Continued.*

Schedule "A."

Scale of general water rates for dwellings. —$2 per annum, the lowest rate, for four rooms and under, and rising 50 cents for each additional room.

All conveniences in connection with dwelling and other houses are chargeable, in addition to the foregoing rates, as follows:

Special and Additional Rates.

	Per Annum.
Basins or other taps with sink—	
In private dwellings, each	$1 00
In other than private dwellings, each	2 00
Baths—	
In private dwellings, each.....	1 25
In other than private dwellings, each	2 50
Urinals—	
In private dwellings, self-acting, ea.	1 25
Other than self-acting, each.....	5 00
In other than private dwellings, self-acting, each	2 50
Other than self-acting, each.....	10 00

WATER RATES—*Continued.*

	Per Annum
Water Closets—	
In private dwellings, self-closing, each	$1 50
Other than self-closing, each	5 00
In other than private dwellings, self-closing, each	3 00
Other than self-closing, each	10 00
W. C.'s used in common by two or more houses shall be charged for at the rate of one to each house.	
Lawns and Gardens—	
500 square feet (and under) per season	62½c.
Above 500 and up to 1,000, per season	$1 00
Each additional 1,000 or portion thereof, per season	25
Lawn sprinklers or other devices not held by hand, in addition to above, $5.	
Laundry—	
Private:	
For each tub	$0 50
Other than private—	
For each tub	1 00
Employing 3 hands and under	3 75
Employing 5 hands	6 25
Employing 7 hands	8 75
Employing over 7 hands	10 00

WATER RATES—*Continued.*

Stables—

Private—

For each horse	$1 00
Each vehicle	50

Other than private—

For each horse	1 50
Each vehicle	75

Schedule "B."—Meter Rates.

(*a*) 10 cents per 1,000 gallons for the first 1,000,000 gallons supplied by any meter in any year, and 7½ cents per 1,000 gallons for all over that amount supplied by the same meter in the same year, except that no meter rate shall be less than $1.25 net per quarter year.

(*b*) For water supplied for use outside the City limits, 30 cents per 1,000 gallons. Minimum net rate per quarter, $2.50.

Schedule "C."

For Water Supplied upon the Island (Season, May 15th to October 15th).

The rates for the season shall be the same as are charged under Schedule "A" hereof,

except that the minimum rate for domestic purposes, per family, shall be $5.00.

The rates for water supplied by meter measurement shall be fifteen (15) cents per 1,000 gallons, besides the charge for the use of the meter as provided in Schedule "B," except that the minimum amount payable by persons using meters shall be $5.00.

SPECIAL RATES.

Full information may be obtained at the Water Works Office (main floor, City Hall, Room 103), as to rates for water required (where meters are not used) for:

Bakers, Barbers, Boarding Houses, Building and Construction Works, Caretakers in Buildings, Churches, Dye Works, Factories, Fire Protection, Flushing Drains, Forges, Fountains, Gas Engines, Laundries, Lawns, Manufactories, Milk Vats, Pavement Construction, Roadway Construction, Restaurants, Stables, Steam Engines, Schools (other than public), Trenches, Warehouses, Washing Windows, etc.

Fire Department.

The Fire Department consists of one Chief of Department, one Deputy Chief, one Secretary, one Record Clerk, one Stenographer, six District Chiefs, one Superintendent Fire Alarm Telegraph, one Assistant Superintendent Fire Alarm Telegraph, four Linemen, three Fire Alarm Telegraph Operators, forty-one Captains, thirty-eight Lieutenants, ten Engineers of Steamers, twelve Assistant Engineers of Steamers, two hundred and thirty-six Firemen and Drivers, one Storekeeper, three Telephone Operators, one Messenger, one Caretaker and two Stablemen, making a total of three hundred and sixty-four officers and men.

There is in the Department in service:

1 Motor pump.

9 Steam fire engines.

1 65-ft. Champion water tower.

1 85-ft. aerial turn-table hook and ladder truck and portable water tower combined.

1 75-ft. aerial turn-table hook and ladder truck and portable water tower combined.

9 Hook and ladder trucks.

1 Motor hook and ladder truck.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—*Continued.*

1 Four-wheeled, two-horse chemical engine.

1 four-wheeled, two-horse combination hose and chemical engine.

20 Hose Wagons with fire extinguishers attached.

9 Combination chemical and hose motor cars.

4 High Pressure Hose Wagons.

1 Salvage wagon with 6,700 square feet of rubber covers.

1 Supply wagon.

1 Fire Alarm Telegraph wagon.

1 Fire Alarm Telegraph motor car.

Sleighs.

5 Hook and ladder truck sleighs.

12 Two-horse hose sleighs.

4 One-horse hose sleighs.

In Reserve.

2 Hook and ladder trucks.

1 Hook and ladder sleigh.

2 Four-wheeled hose wagons.

2 Four-wheeled, two-horse chemical engines.

1 Steam fire engine.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—*Continued.*

Location of Fire Stations.

Headquarters,		Adelaide St., near York St.
No. 1	Station,	Bay St., cor. Temperance St.
" 2	"	Richmond St., cor. Portland Street.
" 3	"	Yonge St., near Grosvenor St.
" 4	"	Berkeley St., cor. Duke St.
" 5	"	Lombard St., near Jarvis St.
" 6	"	Queen St., near John St.
" 7	"	Wilton Ave., near Parliament Street.
" 8	"	College St., cor. Bellevue Av.
9	"	Dundas St., near Queen St.
" 10	"	Yorkville Av., near Yonge St.
" 11	"	Rose Av., cor. Howard St.
" 12	"	Bolton Av., cor. Allen Av.
" 13	"	Dundas St., near Lansdowne Avenue.
" 14	"	Ossington Av., near Bloor St.
" 15	"	Cowan Av., near Queen St.
" 16	"	Richmond St., near Jarvis St.
" 17	"	Queen St., near Woodbine Av.
" 18	"	Cowan Av., near Queen St.
" 19	"	Perth Av., near Royce Av.
" 20	"	Keele St., near Dundas St.
" 21	"	Ford St., near Connolly St.
" 22	"	Main St., near Swanwick Av.
" 23	"	Howland Av., near Dupont St.
" 24	"	Balmoral Av., near Yonge St.
" 25	"	Hendricks Av., near St. Clair

Fire Department—*Continued.*

No. 26 Station, Greenwood Av., near Danforth Avenue.
" 27 " Earlscourt Av., cor. Ascot Av.
" 28 " Montgomery Av., near Yonge Street.

Statistics Respecting Fires in 1915.

Fire alarms	1,881
Loss on buildings	$ 376,464 00
Insurance on buildings	8,133,455 00
Loss on contents	779,819 00
Insurance on contents	4,605,291 00
Total loss on buildings and contents	1,156,284 00
Total insurance on buildings and contents	12,738,746 00
Amount of insurance paid	847,397 00
Loss on buildings with no insurance	18,375 00
Loss on contents with no insurance	40,343 00
Total loss over insurance paid.	208,886 00

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

Directions to Give an Alarm.

Upon what may appear as correct information of a fire near your signal box, break the glass. unlock the signal box door and

pull the brass hook on the inside door all the way down (once only) and let it go, and immediately the gong inside the box will sound the number. If you do not hear the gong, go to the next nearest box and do as before directed. No alarm should be given for a chimney only on fire, and no box should be pulled more than once for the same fire, except by an officer of the Fire Department.

Never open the box or touch the hook except in case of fire.

Never give an alarm except from the box nearest the fire, unless you have first ascertained that the box nearest the fire will not work.

Do not try to take the key out of the door, as it is "locked in" and cannot be taken out without a relief key.

Police Department.

The strength of the Force is at present 664 men, distributed as follows:—One Chief Constable, one Assistant Deputy Chief Constable, one Chief Inspector, one Staff Inspector, one Inspector of Detectives, thirteen Divisional Inspectors, thirty Sergeants, forty-one Patrol Sergeants, sixteen Detectives and 559 Constables.

Police Statistics for 1915.

Number apprehended or summoned:		
Males	33,918	
Females	2,571	
		36,489
Accidental deaths		241
Number of inquests		127
Number of lost children		750
Number of licenses issued (not including liquor licenses)		18,738
Revenue therefrom		$104,867 00
Value of property reported to Police as lost or stolen		291,524 00
Value of property recovered		192,120 00

Location of Stations.

Police Court and Police Headquarters, first floor of City Hall, north-east corner.

No. 1 Station, Court Street.

No. 2 Station, Agnes St., south side, near Teraulay St.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—*Continued.*

No. 3 Station, Claremont St.

No. 4 Station, Wilton Ave., near Parliament Street.

No. 5 Station, Davenport Road and New Street.

No. 5 — Sub-station — Yonge Street and Montgomery Avenue (North Toronto).

No. 6 Station, Queen Street and Cowan Avenue.

No. 7 Station, Ossington Avenue, north of Bloor Street.

No. 8 Station, Pape Avenue, north of Queen Street.

No. 9 Station, Keele Street, south of Dundas Street.

No. 10 Station, Main Street, East Toronto.

No. 11 Station, London and Markham Streets.

Ambulance Station, Court Street.

Police Telephone, general Nos. Main 222, 223, 1298, 1299, from which connection is made with all stations.

LICENSE FEES.

	Amount Per Annum.
Auctioneers	$ 50 00
Billiards and pool, first table	20 00
Billiards and pool, each extra table	10 00
Bagatelle, each table	10 00
Bowling alleys, first two beds	20 00
Bowling alleys, each additional bed	5 00

LICENSE FEES—*Continued.*

	Amount Per Annum.
Butchers	$1 00
Bicycle liveries	5 00
Bill posters	1 00
Bill distributors	1 00
Cabs, one-horse	4 00
Cabs, two-horse	6 00
Cab drivers	25
Carters, one-horse	2 00
Carters, two-horse	4 00
Cigarettes, cigars and tobacco, or cigarettes only	25 00
Cigars and tobaccos, or cigars only.	5 00
Concert halls in centre of City	100 00
Concert halls in outlying part of City, capacity over 200	40 00
Concert halls in outlying part of City, capacity under 200	20 00
Dogs, male	2 00
Dogs, female	5 00
Kennel Tax	10 00
Express, two-horse vehicle	4 00
Express, one-horse vehicle	2 00
Ferry boats, capacity over 100	50 00
Ferry boats, capacity under 100	25 00
Garages (public), 5-car capacity	5 00
" " 5 to 10-car capacity	10 00
" " more than 10-car capacity	15 00

LICENSE FEES—*Continued.*

	Amount Per Annum.
Garages (public), where automobile supplies are kept or sold, but no cars	$5 00
Intelligence offices for servants and help	10 00
Jitneys, for each passenger capacity.	1 00
Livery stables, first three horses....	10 00
Livery stables, each additional horse.	2 00
Livery drivers	25
Lunch counters, capacity over 50...	10 00
Lunch counters, capacity under 50..	5 00
Laundries	20 00
Milk vendors, each place	1 00
Milk, for each vehicle used for sale or delivery of	1 00
Omnibusses	6 00
Omnibus drivers	25
Pawnbrokers	60 00
Plumbers	1 00
Pedlars, general, with vehicle, pushed or drawn	10 00
Pedlars, horse and wagon, fish only.	5 00
Pedlars, hand barrow, fish only....	1 00
Pedlars, on foot, carrying goods for sale	1 00
Pedlars, on foot, with large creel or basket, with fruit not grown in Canada	10 00

LICENSE FEES—*Continued.*

	Amount Per Annum
Refreshment or reception rooms, capacity over 50	$10 00
Refreshment or reception rooms, capacity under 50	5 00
Roller skating rinks	50 00
Roller coasters	25 00
Switch-backs or toboggan slides	25 00
Shooting gallery	10 00
Second-hand or junk shops	15 00
Slot machines, first machine	5 00
Slot machines, each additional machine	0 50
Tally-ho coach	10 00
Tally-ho coach, electric	10 00
Theatres	100 00
Teamsters, two-horse	4 00
Teamsters, one-horse	2 00
Tobacco only	1 00
Transient traders	50 00
Transfers of licenses	2 00
Victualling houses, capacity over 50	10 00
Victualling houses, capacity under 50	5 00
Circus, menagerie, wild west show, animal show, dog and pony show, or show of any kind whatsoever travelling with 1 to 10 cars, per day	25 00
with from 11 to 20 cars, per day	50 00
with from 21 to 30 cars, per day	100 00

LICENSE FEES—*Continued.*

	Amount Per Annum.
with from 31 to 50 cars, per day.	$200 00
with from 51 cars and upwards per day	500 00
and for each side show, per day	25 00
Exhibitions of pictures, paintings, statuary or works of art, for each day a fee of	1 00
Dancing, for each day a fee of	5 00
Menageries, for each day a fee of	5 00
Natural or artificial curiosities, for each day a fee of	5 00
Rag collector	1 00
Rope walking	5 00
Sparring and boxing	5 00
Sleight-of-hand	5 00
Legerdemain, juggling or other like tricks	5 00
Tableaux	5 00
Wonderful animals or freaks of nature	5 00
Tumbling or other gymnastic performances	5 00
Wax works	5 00
Wild animals or hippodrome	5 00
Any machine or mechanical device kept for hire or profit, not otherwise provided for	10 00

LICENSE FEES—*Continued.*

	Amount Per Annum
Any entertainment where admission fee is charged (per annum), not otherwise provided for, if held in any place not licensed.....	$50 0
Performances of troupes or company of actors, musicians, each, and not performing in licensed places, each performance	10 0
Any person who keeps for hire or profit any exhibition and exhibits the same elsewhere than in a theatre, music hall, or any other licensed place, per day	5 0

TARIFF RELATING TO CABS, LIVERY CARRIAGES AUTOMOBILES, ETC.

Every driver on each occasion when hi vehicle is hired shall, when demanded o him, hand a card, showing the tariff, to th person employing him.

No fare is to be paid to any cabman wh refuses to hand such card to the person em ploying him, or who demands a greater rat than allowed by the tariff.

TALLY-HO COACHES.

Each passenger $1 for one hour or no exceeding two hours; 50c. for each passen ger each subsequent hour.

Tariff for Cabs and Automobiles, Etc.

Cabs.

By distance—50c. a mile for 1 to 4 passengers; 25c. for each additional half mile.

By the hour—2 horse, $1.50 an hour for 1 to 4 passengers; 1 horse, $1 an hour for 1 to 3 passengers.

Children—Under 8, free; under 12, half fare.

Baggage—1 trunk free; each additional, 5c.

Automobiles and Taxicabs.

Automobiles, including taxicabs, by the hour, $3 per hour for first two hours for 1 to 4 passengers, $2 for each additional hour, and $1 per hour for each passenger above four.

By distance—

1 to 4 passengers, 1 mile or less..	40c.
Each additional ¼ mile	10c.
Waiting at request of passenger for each 4 minutes	10c.
Baggage, each trunk	20c.
Each additional person	10c.

Hand baggage free if inside cab.

Express and Cartage Tariff.

The following is the tariff of charges for express wagons and carts, and no higher or other charges are payable to any licensed expressman or carter:

For Vehicles in Class A.

For a wagon or vehicle drawn by three or more horses, or propelled by other motive power, for every hour or fraction thereof over one-half hour	$1 50
For the same for one-half hour or fraction thereof	75
For a wagon or vehicle drawn by two horses, for every hour or fraction thereof over one-half hour.....	1 25
For the same for a half hour or fraction thereof	65
For a wagon or vehicle drawn by one horse, for every hour or fraction thereof over one-half hour.....	60
For the same for a half hour or fraction thereof	35

For Vehicles in Class B.

For a wagon or vehicle drawn by two horses, or propelled by other motive power, when engaged for a full day of nine working hours, $6.00; when engaged by the hour, sixty cents for every hour or fraction there-

of, provided that not less than one and a half cubic yards of earth, or its equivalent in other material, is carried on the wagons.

For a wagon or vehicle drawn by one horse, when engaged for a full day of nine working hours, $3.25; when engaged by the hour, forty-five cents for every hour or fraction thereof.

The above rates may be increased by fifty per cent. for any hour in which the vehicle is employed between 7 p.m. and 7 a.m.

Board of Education, 1916.

This Board consists of fourteen members (two from each Ward), elected for a term of two years, seven members retiring annually, and two members appointed by the Separate School Board. The membership at present is as follows:

(*To serve one year.*)

Ward No. 1.....George Oakley, Jr.
" " 2.....W. H. Shaw.
" " 3.....C. A. B. Brown.
" " 4.....R. D. Fairbairn.
" " 5.....Caroline S. Brown, M.D.
" " 6.....John Hunter, M.D.
" " 7.....R. R. Hopkins, M.D.

Board of Education—*Continued.*

(*To serve two years.*)

Ward No. 1.....Gilmour J. Steele, L.D.S.
" " 2.....John Noble, M.D.
" " 3.....William Houston, M.A.
" " 4.....Miles Vokes.
" " 5.....W. O. McTaggart, B.A.
" " 6.....W. W. Hodgson.
" " 7.....Fred'k B. Edmunds.

Appointed by Separate School Board—
Walter J. Boland. William Dineen.

Officers of the Board.

William Houston, M.A., Chairman.
W. C. Wilkinson, Secretary-Treasurer.
Robert H. Cowley, M.A., Chief Inspector.
W. F. Chapman, B.A., Inspector.
W. H. Elliott, B.A., Inspector.
E. W. Bruce, B.A., Inspector.
J. W. Rogers, M.A., Inspector.
G. H. Armstrong, M.A., Inspector.
Henry Ward, B.A., Inspector.
D. D. Mosier, B.A., Inspector.
C. H. Bishop, Supt. of Buildings.
Alexander Mackay, M.D., Chief Medical Officer.
William Kerr, Clerk of Supplies.
E. Percival Brown, Solicitor.

Offices of the Board: City Hall, east side, third floor.—Telephone, Adelaide 4170.

School Statistics.

Number of Teachers on Public School Staff	1,279
Number of Kindergartners on Public School Staff	202
Number of Teachers on Collegiate Institute Staff—	
Day Schools	116
Night Schools	25
Number of Teachers on Technical School Staff—	
Day School	57
Night School	142
Number of Teachers High School of Commerce and Finance—	
Day School	14
Night School	32
Number of Teachers on Separate School Staff	160
Number of registered pupils in Public Schools, including Kindergarten	70,400
Number of registered pupils in Separate Schools	6,762
Average daily attendance, Public Schools and Kindergartens	49,558
Registered attendance, High Schools—	
Day	3,284
Night	337
Registered attendants, Technical School—	
Day	2,050
Night	4,781

SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Continued.*

Registered attendance, School of Commerce—	
Day	411
Night	1,270
Average daily attendance, Separate Schools	5,516
Value of Public School property	$9,534,000
Value of Collegiate Institute property	1,648,000
Value of School of Commerce property	344,000
Value of Administration Building site	171,000
Value of Technical School property	2,231,000
Value of Separate School property	742,394
Number of High Schools	10
" Public Schools	95
" Separate Schools	27

PENNY BANK.

For Public School Pupils.

The average weekly deposit is six cents per pupil; over $3,000 per week. The total on deposit was upwards of $165,000 in April, 1916, a little over $3.25 per pupil.

Head office, York and Richmond Streets.

Hamilton Cassels, K.C., President.

M. A. Mackenzie, Manager.

SCHOOL STATISTICS—*Continued.*

SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD, 1916.

This Board is composed of fourteen Trustees elected for a term of two years. The membership at present is as follows:

Very Rev. Dean Hand, Chairman.

Very Rev. Dean Moyna,	M. Power,
Rt. Rev. M. D. Whelan,	J. Cadaret,
Rev. J. J. McGrand,	V. H. Annabel,
Rev. P. Lamarche,	Thos. Costello,
Dr. H. J. Pocock,	J. L. Woods,
Rev. J. Trayling,	E. F. Henderson,

D. A. Carey.

Officers of Board:

Rev. J. J. McGrand, Secretary-Treasurer.
J. G. Hall, Assistant Secretary.
Rev. Brother Rogation, Inspector.
James E. Day, Solicitor.
Charles J. Read, Architect.
W. J. Moore, Superintendent of Buildings.

Office of Board:

67 Bond Street. Telephone, Main 2065.

Board of Management, 1916.

N. B. Gash, K.C., Chairman,
Thomas L. Church, Mayor,
Sir Glenholme Falconbridge,
Hon. Mr. Justice Kelly,
T. W. Banton,
T. C. Irving, Sr.
W. T. J. Lee,
Thomas W. Self,
John Turnbull.

Chief Librarian.....Geo. H. Locke, M.A.
Secretary-Treasurer.....Edward S. Caswell.

The management and control of the Public Libraries of the City are vested in a Board of Management, composed of the Mayor of the City and eight others, three of whom are appointed by the City Council, three by the Board of Education, and two by the Separate School Board. The persons appointed by the City Council and Board of Education hold office for three years, and those by the Separate School Board for two years. These members retire in rotation at the end of their respective terms on the 31st of January.

The Board holds its regular meetings on the second Friday of each month, and the Libraries and Finance Committee meets on the next preceding Tuesday.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES—*Continued.*

The Public Libraries are maintained by a tax not to exceed a quarter of a mill on the assessable property in the City.

The Public Reference Library is situated at the corner of St. George and College Streets. In it are the administration offices and on the ground floor is the College Street Circulating Branch.

The Central Circulating Library is at the corner of Church and Adelaide Streets.

There are branches on Yorkville Avenue; Queen and Lisgar Streets; Annette Street (Western); Broadview Avenue and Gerrard Street (Riverdale); 4-6 St. Clair Avenue W. (Deer Park); Bathurst Street and Melgund Avenue (Wychwood); 2435 Yonge Street, near Eglinton Avenue (Northern); on the corner of Bloor Street and Gladstone Avenue (Dovercourt); on Boon and Ascot Avenues (Earlscourt); on the corner of Queen Street and Hambly Ave. (Beaches), and on the corner of Gerrard and Main Streets (Eastern).

The High Park Branch Library, corner Roncesvalles and Wright Avenues, will be opened in July of this year.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES—*Continued.*

In addition to these Branches there is a Municipal Reference Library in the City Hall, a branch of the Public Library.

The Reference Library and the Branches on Yorkville Avenue, Queen Street West, Annette Street and Broadview Avenue have been built through the generosity of Mr. Andrew Carnegie. New branch buildings in the Wychwood, Beach and High Park districts are also in course of erection out of a supplementary grant of $50,000 from the Carnegie Corporation.

The combined Libraries of the City contain about 257,500 books, of which approximately 88,600 are in the Reference Library. The circulation of books from the Central and branches during the past year was about 892,150. The use of books in the Reference Library is about 210,000 per annum.

On the third floor of the Reference Library is situated the Art Museum, where throughout the year there are exhibitions of the various Art Associations of the City. These are under the control of the Art Museum Association, to whom the use of the rooms is given free of all charge. On Saturdays of each week the rooms are open to the public without charge.

The Reference Library is open from 10 a.m. to 9.30 p.m. Circulating Libraries and Reading Rooms, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

The offices of the Chief Librarian, and of the Secretary-Treasurer, are in the Reference Library, corner St. George and College Streets.

The Main Newspaper Reading Room is situated on the corner of Church and Adelaide Streets, but all the branches are well supplied with newspapers and periodicals (more than 400 in all), from all over the world.

For the information of the public a bulletin is issued every month giving in dictionary catalogue form a list of all the books received and accessioned during the preceding month at the College Street Circulating Library (now grown to be the main circulating library). This is supplied free.

At the Public Reference Building (St. George and College Streets) the Historical Room contains the famous J. Ross Robertson collection of engravings, prints and paintings illustrative of early life in Canada. This is the largest and most valuable collection of Canadian prints in existence. During last year 500 valuable paintings and prints

were added, and the collection, now numbering 2,873 pictures, was visited by 12,400 people. The room is open daily without charge.

Telephone to Reference Library, College 182.

Chief Librarian's Office, College 8447.

Telephone to Secretary-Treasurer and Business Office, College 5620.

Telephone to Sup't of Buildings and Engineer, College 1476.

Municipal Reference Library, Main 3324.

Library Statistics, 1915.

Value of Libraries, including buildings and grounds, about	$1,100,000
Books issued for home reading	892,150
Reference books used	250,000
Juvenile books issued	249,260
Total number of books and pamphlets in the Libraries	278,350
Books added during the year	31,615

Canadian National Exhibition.

The Canadian National Exhibition Association, composed of one hundred and twenty-five representatives of Manufacturing, Agricultural, Educational and other Canadian interests. The Board of Directors consists of twenty-five members, made up as follows: The Mayor of the City and seven members of the City Council appointed annually, and sixteen members of the Exhibition Association (eight representing Arts and Manufacturing, and eight representing Agricultural Interests), elected annually by the Association. The Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario is also *ex officio* a member of the Board. The following comprise the Board for the current year:—

Hon. President:

Lt.-Col. Joseph Oliver.

President:

Lt.-Col. Noel G. L. Marshall, 56 King St. East

Vice-Presidents:

George Booth, 117 Sumach Street.
Thomas A. Russell, 162 Walmer Road.

Directors:

From the City Council—

Thomas L. Church, Mayor.
Ald. H. H. Ball, 1817 Yonge St.

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION—*Cont'd.*

Ald. J. A. Cowan, 100 Willcocks St.
" Jos. Gibbons, 611 St. Clarens Ave.
" Sam'l McBride, 351 Palmerston Blvd.
" F. G. McBrien, 2074 Queen St. E.
" W. D. Robbins, 503 Carlaw Ave.
" L. M. Singer, 433 Palmerston Blvd.

Manufacturers' Section—
George Booth, 117 Sumach Street.
C. A. B. Brown, 47 Wellesley Street.
John Firstbrook, Lawrence Park.
George H. Gooderham, M.P.P., 204 St. George St.
Noel G. L. Marshall, 56 King St. East.
W. K. McNaught, 614 Huron Street.
Joseph Oliver, 598 Sherbourne Street.
Thomas A. Russell, 162 Walmer Road.

Agricultural Section—
W. W. Ballantyne, Stratford, Ont.
J. J. Dixon, 52 Cluny Avenue.
W. A. Dryden, Brooklin, Ont.
Robt. Fleming, Manning Chambers.
H. R. Frankland, 10 Toronto St.
John Gardhouse, Weston, Ont.
John G. Kent, Confederation Life Bldg.
Robert Miller, Stouffville, Ont.
Hon. J. S. Duff, Parliament Buildings.

Officers:

Dr. J. O. Orr, General Manager.
P. W. Rogers, Assistant Manager and Secretary.

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION—*Cont'd.*

F. F. Brentnall, Treasurer.

General Offices, 36 King Street East. Telephone, Main 935.

Days Open, 1916.

Saturday, Aug. 26th, Preparation Day.
Monday, Aug. 28th, Opening Day.
Tuesday, Aug. 29th, Society Day.
Wednesday, Aug. 30th, School Children's Day
Thursday, Aug. 31st, Military Day.
Friday, Sept. 1st, Press Day.
Saturday, Sept. 2nd, Empire Federation Day.
Monday, Sept. 4th, Industrial Day.
Tuesday, Sept. 5th, Transportation Day.
Wednesday, Sept. 6th, Farmers' Day.
Thursday, Sept. 7th, Patriotic Production.
Friday, Sept. 8th, Review Day.
Saturday, Sept. 9th, Citizens' and Athletic Day.
Monday, Sept. 11th, Break-up Day.

Exhibition Statistics.

Year	Receipts.	Prizes Paid.	Estimated Attendance.
1883	$56,911	23,138	171,765
1893	87,247	31,232	267,192
1903	162,065	37,515	527,320
1911	336,178	52,862	926,000
1912	384,708	46,748	962,000
1913	459,238	47,606	1,009,000
1914	336,150	47,641	762,000
1915	356,502	50,595	864,000

Canadian National Exhibition—*Cont'd.*

Buildings and Grounds.

The buildings on the grounds are seventy-three in number. The main group of twelve buildings, consisting of all permanent structures of steel, brick or concrete construction, are fine in architectural detail, and make a splendid setting for an annual exhibition. The grounds, situated on the shore of Lake Ontario, and extending along the waterfront for upwards of one mile, comprise 264 acres, and form, when not in use for Exhibition purposes, a magnificent public park and playgrounds, affording facilities for every branch of sport and recreation.

Some of the principal buildings are:—

Manufacturers' — This splendid building, for the exhibition of industrial arts and crafts, has an imposing appearance and contains 72,500 square feet of space. It is located in the centre of the grounds facing upon the grand plaza and designed to be an almost perfect exhibition structure. A second building has approximately the same exhibit area, making a total of 145,000 square feet for the display of manufactured products.

Machinery Hall and Electrical Building— This building is specially designed for heavy

machinery and machinery in operation. It is equipped with ample steam power and shafting for the purpose, and has a floor space of 35,000 square feet.

Industrial and Process of Manufacture Building—This is a modern brick and steel structure with 76,500 square feet of floor space. So far as can be learned, this is the only Exhibition building in the world devoted exclusively to the practical demonstration of Process of Manufacture.

Art Gallery — This structure has housed many of the world's most famous art treasures. There is a great variety of exhibits appealing to a wide constituency of visitors. The building contains 7,000 square feet of floor space. Applied Arts have a separate building on the plaza devoted exclusively to their exposition.

Dairy Building—Is constructed of cement blocks and has a floor space of 25,000 square feet. It is equipped with an up-to-date cold storage plant, and has in addition a fireproof Auditorium which has a seating capacity of 1,500, which is used for lectures, demonstrations, butter and cheese making competitions, etc.

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION—*Cont'd.*

Government Building—A splendid structure with massive towers and commanding dome, located at the main entrance to the Park. It is largely filled with exhibits of the Dominion and Provincial Governments by whom it was erected, illustrating in an attractive and instructive way the possibilities of the country developed and otherwise. It contains 48,400 square feet of floor space.

Horticultural Building—Probably the most attractive building architecturally on the grounds. It has floor space of 45,000 square feet, and is constructed of pressed red brick and steel with stone facings, with a central dome 100 feet in height.

Railway Exhibits Building—Built by the principal Railway Systems of Canada for the exhibition of cereals, fish, game, minerals, views of forestry, and agricultural products of the country. This is an exceptionally handsome building, having three wings or courts—one for each of the leading railway systems.

Transportation Building — Built of red pressed brick with stone trimmings, with concrete foundation and roof supports of trusses of steel. It is 337 feet long by 153 feet wide, and provides 50,000 square feet of

space for exhibits of automobiles, motor boats, supplies, etc.

Grand Stand—The Grand Stand has a length of 725 feet, and a chair seating capacity of over 16,800 people. It is absolutely fire-proof, the construction being of steel, reinforced concrete and pressed brick. It overlooks a well laid out half-mile track, on which horse racing, bicycle and automobile racing takes place. The harness, saddle and hunt horses are judged here. In front of this Stand the Special Attractions and Fireworks are displayed.

Other Buildings—In addition to the foregoing, there are the Administration Building, Railways' Building, with 8,250 square feet of space; Women's Building, with 18,500 square feet; Poultry Building, with 30,600 square feet; Dog and Cat Building, spacious stables, and over two score of other buildings for every branch of improved animal husbandry. There are also separate buildings for the Police, Fire Department, Post Office, Telegraph Office and a fully equipped hospital.

Highway Commissioners of York.

This Commission has been appointed jointly by the Ontario Government, the County Council of York and the City Council of Toronto, to carry out a scheme for improving the main roads in the county within twenty miles of the City. For this purpose the three bodies above named have each appropriated $200,000, making $600,000 to be expended on the work, The members and officers of the Commission are as follows:

Commissioners.

Controller Thomas Foster, 20 Victor Avenue, Toronto, Chairman.

W. H. Pugsley, Richmond Hill, Vice-Chairman.

Geo. S. Henry, M.P.P. (R. R. No. 1), Todmorden.

David Spence, 13 O'Hara Avenue, Toronto.

William Keith, Newmarket.

Secretary.

R. W. Phillips, County Building, Adelaide St. East, Toronto. Telephone, M. 503.

Treasurer.

J. K. Macdonald, County Building, Adelaide St. East, Toronto. Telephone, M. 6274.

Chief Engineer.

Edgar A. James, C.E., County Building, Adelaide St. East, Toronto. — Telephone, M. 503. House 'phone, B. 1107.

Toronto and Hamilton Highway Commission.

This Commission was appointed by the Ontario Legislature in September, 1914, to construct and maintain a permanent highway between the cities of Toronto and Hamilton.

The Commission has adopted concrete construction eighteen feet wide with earth shoulders three feet wide on either side and open ditching. By arrangement with the Commission, some of the municipalities are building a road of different width, notably the town of Oakville, where the road is fifty feet wide from curb to curb, with storm sewers.

The estimated cost of the road, when complete, is $920,000, of which amount the City of Toronto has agreed to pay $250,000.

The members and officers of the Commission are as follows:—

Commissioners.

Geo. H. Gooderham, 49 Wellington Street East, Toronto, *Chairman.*
T. W. Jutten, 551 Wellington Street North, Hamilton.
Hugh Bertram, Vinemount, Ontario.
M. C. Smith, Burlington, Ontario.
W. S. Davis, Oakville, Ontario.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION—*Cont'd.*

R. L. Lush, Clarkson, Ontario.
G. Frank Beer, *Honorary Secretary*, Ryrie Building, Toronto.

Officers:

H. S. Van Scoyoc, 49 Wellington Street East, Toronto, *Chief Engineer.*
T. L. Carruthers, 49 Wellington Street East, Toronto, *Comptroller.*

BOARD OF HARBOR COMMISSIONERS.

The Commissioners, five in number, are appointed, three by the City Council and two by the Government of Canada, for the purpose of administering the harbor and developing the waterfront property owned by the City.

Since the formation of the new Board in the fall of 1911, the Commissioners have had plans prepared and approved by the City Council of Toronto and the Dominion Government calling for the expenditure of approximately $24,000,000, for the purpose of improving Toronto's waterfront, deepening the entire harbor and developing for industrial purposes the district known for many years as Ashbridge's Bay, which lies immediately east of the harbor and contains approximately 1,300 acres. Contracts have already been let for over $10,000,000.

HARBOR COMMISSION—*Continued.*

The work as planned contemplates the creation of a magnificent boulevard and driveway system across Toronto's waterfront from Woodbine Avenue to the Humber River, and also the creation in connection with this driveway system of park areas covering 894 acres of land, also bathing beaches and protected waterways for boating purposes, such as are enjoyed by very few communities.

The industrial property in the Ashbridge's Bay district will provide locations for 1,000 factories, and the manner in which this property is being laid out will furnish exceptional facilities to industries locating there. In addition, ample facilities for receiving and shipping goods by water are being provided and in every other way everything possible is being done to provide in this district every facility that will reduce cost of manufacturing and provide an ideal home for factories.

The members and officers of the Board are as follows:—

Commissioners:

Lionel H. Clarke, 6 Clarendon Crescent (Chairman).
Thomas L. Church, K.C., 98 Binscarth Road.
Robert S. Gourlay, 188 Yonge Street.

HARBOR COMMISSION—*Continued.*

John Laxton, 1457 Queen Street West.
R. Home Smith, 18 King Street West.

Officers:

E. L. Cousins, Chief Engineer and Manager.
C. W. Postlethwaite, Harbor Master.

Office:

50 Bay Street. Telephone, Adelaide 646.

TORONTO HYDRO-ELECTRIC SYSTEM.

Offices—226-228 Yonge Street.

Telephone, Adelaide 2120.

Toronto Electric Commission.

The Commission consists of the Mayor for the time being, a member appointed by the City Council and a member appointed by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

The present members and officers are:

Commissioners:

P. W. Ellis (Chairman).
T. L. Church, K.C. (Mayor).
R. G. Black.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC SYSTEM—*Continued.*

Officers:

H. H. Couzens, General Manager, 92 Forest Hill Road. Telephone, Hillcrest 499.

E. M. Ashworth, Secretary and Assistant General Manager, 601 Huron Street. Telephone, Hillcrest 6103.

Trouble Department and Emergency wagon. Telephone, Adelaide 2121.

Rates for Electric Light and Power.

Residence Service—

3 cents per 100 square feet floor area, per month (minimum 1,000, maximum 3,000 square feet), plus 2 cents per K.W. hour up to the equivalent of 3 K.W. hours per 100 square feet of floor area charged; additional consumption 1 cent per K.W. hour; less 10 per cent. prompt payment discount.

Commercial Lighting—

5 cents per K.W. hour for the equivalent of the first 30 hours' use of the maximum demand; 2.5 cents per K.W. hour for the next 70 hours' use of the same; and 0.5 cents per K.W. hour for all above per month.

Prompt payment discount of 10 per cent.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC SYSTEM—*Continued.*

A. C. Power, 3-phase, 25-cycles, 550 volts—

$1.25 per H.P. per month for first 10 H.P. of maximum demand, and $1 per H.P. above; plus first fifty hours' monthly use of the maximum demand of 1½ cents per K.W. hour; all above 0.15 cents per K.W. hour.

Less 20 per cent. discount 10 days.

D. C. Power—

First 10 H.P. of maximum demand per month $1.35 per H.P., $1 per H.P. above; first 50 hours' monthly use of the maximum demand 2½ cents per K.W. hour; next 50 hours' use 1 cent; all above 0.25 cents per K.W. hour.

Less 20 per cent. discount 10 days.

UNION OF CANADIAN MUNICIPALITIES.

This Union was formed in 1901 for the double purpose, first, of securing beneficial legislation, and, second, for safeguarding municipal interests generally throughout the Dominion. It is composed of delegates appointed by various municipalities having a membership in the organization.

The Union has a complete system of provincial branches and a large record of useful work to its credit. As a body it has been of

far greater public usefulness than can be gathered from the history of merely actual measures which it has initiated or promoted. It has been a steady educator of public opinion, which, after all, is at the root of all progress.

The present officers are:

President, T. L. Church, K.C., Mayor of Toronto.
1st Vice-President, Leslie H. Boyd, K.C., Alderman, Montreal.
2nd Vice-President, M. C. Costello, M.D., Mayor of Calgary.
3rd Vice-President, R. D. Waugh, Mayor of Winnipeg.
Honorary Secretary-Treasurer, W. D. Lighthall, K.C., Ex-Mayor of Westmount.
Assistant Secretary, G. S. Wilson, Bureau of Information, Coristine Bldg., Montreal.

The Ontario Municipal Association.

This organization, composed of delegates appointed by different municipalities throughout the Province, has been formed for the purpose of discussing important municipal topics and of promoting desirable municipal legislation. The delegates are either members or officers of municipal councils.

ONTARIO MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION—*Cont'd.*

The annual meetings are held in Toronto, usually in the month of September.

The officers for the year 1915-1916 are:

President, A. K. Bunnell, Brantford.

Vice-Presidents, W. C. Caughell, Yarmouth; Ald. E. H. Menzies, Niagara Falls; A. M. Chapman, Belleville; A. Ferland, Cobalt; S. H. Kent, Hamilton.

Secretary-Treasurer, F. S. Spence, 150 Confederation Life Building, Toronto.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Officers:

President, Arthur Hewitt.
1st Vice-President, John G. Kent.
2nd Vice-President, C. A. Bogert.
Treasurer, C. Marriott.
Secretary, F. G. Morley.
Manager Traffic Department, T. Marshall.

Council.

W. H. Alderson, J. D. Allan, Geo. Barron, Hugh Blain, A. E. Clemes, W. F. Cockshutt, K. J. Dunstan, W. P. Gundy, E. H. Gurney, Charles McD. Hay, A. O. Hogg, Geo. W. Howland, John Turnbull, C. W. I. Woodland, and J. W. Woods.

Offices — Royal Bank Building, corner Yonge and King Streets. Telephone, Adelaid 81.

Canadian Manufacturers' Association—Toronto Branch.

Officers:

Chairman, W. C. Coulter.
Vice-Chairman, John W. Hobbs.
Manager Transportation Dept., J. E. Walsh.
Manager Tariff Dept., J. R. K. Bristol.
Managers Insurance Dept., Willis Faber & Co., Limited.
Manager Commercial Intelligence Department, A. Marshall.
General Secretary, G. M. Murray.

Offices—Traders Bank Building. Telephone, Main 5516.

Manufacturing Statistics.

Number of establishments.....	1,200
Capital invested	$170,000,000
Number of employees.....	78,000
Salaries and wages (annual)...	$42,000,000
Value of products (annual)....	$180,000,000

Toronto Clearing House.

Statement of Clearings for Ten Years.

1906	1,219,125,359
1907	1,228,905,517
1908	1,166,902,436
1909	1,437,700,477

Toronto Clearing House—*Continued.*

1910	1,593,954,254
1911	1,852,397,605
1912	2,170,230,376
1913	2,181,281,507
1914	2,012,955,006
1915	1,885,956,257

Inland Revenue Collections.

(Year ending March 31st.)

1906-7	$1,242,327
1907-8	1,658,864
1908-9	1,421,937
1909-10	1,398,790
1910-11	1,593,835
1911-12	1,865,727
1912-13	1,961,610
1913-14	1,756,690
1914-15	1,684,482
1915-16	1,835,202

Custom House Returns.

(Year ending March 31st.)

1907-8—	Imports	$65,970,084,	Duty,	$11,431,084
1908-9	"	55,687,070	"	9,664,197
1909-10	"	73,401,975	"	12,644,612
1910-11	"	86,365,254	"	14,394,209
1911-12	"	100,000,000	"	17,785,000
1912-13	"	120,000,000	"	20,261,577
1913-14	"	119,635,000	"	19,939,175
1914-15	"	94,928,800	"	15,821,427
1915-16	"	111,697,000	"	22,335,810

Rates of Postage.

Post Cards.—Canada, United States and Mexico, 1 cent each; Great Britain, Newfoundland and all other Postal Union countries, 2 cents each.

Letters, Local or Drop Letters.—1 cent per ounce.—Canada, United States, Mexico, United Kingdom, Egypt, Newfoundland and British possessions and protectorates, 2 cents per ounce; all other Postal Union countries, 5 cents for the first ounce and 3 cents for each subsequent ounce.

Note.—A War Tax of one cent is imposed on each letter and postcard mailed in Canada for delivery in Canada, the United States or Mexico, and on each letter mailed in Canada for delivery in the United Kingdom and British possessions generally and wherever the two-cent rate applies.

Transient Newspapers and Periodicals.—Transient newspapers and periodicals for any place in Canada, Mexico and United States, 1 cent per four ounces; Canadian papers to United Kingdom and certain British possessions, 1 cent per 4 ounces; to all other Postal Union countries, 1 cent per 2 ounces.

Books, Circulars, etc.—Canada (when not sent by parcel post), United States,

Mexico, Newfoundland and all other countries, 1 cent per 2 ounces. Limit of weight to Canada 5 lbs., Mexico 4 lbs. 6 ozs., single books 10 lbs., limit of weight to United Kingdom 5 lbs., and to United States, and all other Postal Union countries, 4 lbs. 6 ozs.

Commercial Papers, Documents, etc.—Canada, 2 cents per oz. (no weight limit), Great Britain, United States and all other countries, 5 cents for first 10 ounces, and 1 cent for each additional 2 ounces. Must be sent in covers open at ends so as to be easy of examination. Limits of weight, United Kingdom, 5 lbs.; United States and all other Postal Union countries, 4 lbs. 6 ozs.

Patterns and Samples.—Limit of weight for Canada 12 ounces, size 3 feet 6 inches in length, provided that the combined length and girth do not exceed 6 feet, rate 1 cent per 2 ounces or fraction. Limit of weight for United Kingdom 5 lbs., size 2 feet by 1 foot by 1 foot; for United States and other Postal Union countries 12 ounces, size 1 ft. by 8 in. by 4 in., rate to United States 1 cent for each 2 ounces, to other countries 2 cents for first 4 ounces and 1 cent for each additional 2 ounces.

ADDRESSED TO	1 lb.	2 lbs.	3 lbs.	4 lbs.	5 lbs.	6 lbs.	7 lbs.	8 lbs.	9 lbs.	10 lbs.	11 lbs.
Any post office within 20 miles* including place of mailing.....	$0 05	$0 06	$0 07	$0 08	$0 10	$0 12	$0 14	$0 16	$0 18	$0 20	$0 22
Any post office beyond 20 miles but within the Province of Ontario	10	14	18	22	26	30	34	38	42	46	50
Any post office in Quebec or Manitoba	10	16	22	28	34	40	46	52	58	64	70
Any post office in Saskatchewan or Maritime Provinces.....	12	20	28	36	44	52	60	68	76	84	92
Any post office in Alberta..	12	24	34	44	54	64	74	84	94	1 04	1 14
Any post office in British Columbia	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	1 08	1 20	1 32

The maximum charge on any parcel shall not exceed 1 cent an ounce.
*This rate also obtains in cases where the 20 mile area extends into an adjacent Province.

RATES OF POSTAGE—*Continued.*

Parcel Post in Canada.—Limit of weight 11 lbs., size 3 feet 6 inches, provided the combined length and girth do not exceed 6 feet.

Parcel Post to United States and Other Countries.—Limit of weight to United States 4 lbs. 6 ozs., size same as Canada, rate one cent per ounce or fraction. Limit of weight to other countries varies from 7 to 11 lbs., according to country of destination, as do also rates of postage; for United Kingdom, limit 11 lbs., rate 12 cents per lb. or fraction thereof. Customs declaration of contents and value must be made out at Post Office for all parcels addressed to countries other than the United States.

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